MYSORE PROVINCE,

DECEMBER, 1879.

PROCEEDINGS

OF

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CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

IN THE

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

PART I, IN EXTENSO.

JUDICIAL.
FINANCIAL.—*Nil.*
GENERAL.
MILITARY.—*Nil.*

PART II, IN ABSTRACT.

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Letter No. 428—40, dated 28th April 1879, from the Judicial Commissioner.
Docket No. 2514—76, dated 20th June 1879, to do
Letter No. 1037—117, dated 18th June 1879, from do
Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 2856—30, dated 30th June 1879.
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Letter No. 2407—286, dated 23rd September 1879, from do
Letter No. 2186—297, dated 7th October 1879, from do
Letter No. 2661—508, dated 24th October, from do

No. 6337—J. 115, DATED CAMP MALEBENNUR, 2ND DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON—Propositions for revising the Warder Establishments in all the District Jails of the Province have now been received and the following is a resumé of the proposals:—

In the Bangalore Central Jail, the permanent Warder Establishment is to be increased by 2 Daffedars and 30 Peons whose pay amounts to Rs. 210 per mensem. In Kolar, it is to be increased by 6 Peons and diminished by 1 Daffedar, at an increased monthly cost of Rs. 24. In Túmkúr no change is proposed. In Mysore and Hassan the proposed re-distribution of the Warder Establishment, which involved no increased expenditure, was sanctioned in Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 2856—30, dated 30th June 1879. In the Shimoga Jail the permanent establishment is proposed to be increased by 20 Peons at Rs. 6, which including an increase of 2 Rs. in the pay of one Daffedar, involves an increased charge of Rs. 122 per mensem.

In the Kadur District Jail, the proposed addition of a Daffedar with other minor changes involves an increased charge of Rs. 12 per mensem; while in Chitaldroog, the establishment is proposed to be diminished by 4 Peons, the consequent decrease in the cost being Rs. 22 per mensem.

2. It will be observed that in those jails where increase is proposed no extra expenditure will be actually incurred, for the present contingent guard will be proportionately reduced, and the proposal is really to transfer so much of the contingent guard as experience shews is always required, to the permanent establishment.

3. The changes proposed may be effected at once. A proposition statement shewing the proposals for the jails at Bangalore, Kolar, Shimoga and Chikmagalur will be prepared and submitted for the sanction of the Government of India, but action need not be delayed pending receipt of sanction.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner in Mysore.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Superintendent, Central Jail, Bangalore.
" Do of Jails at Mysore and Shimoga.
" Deputy Accountant General.

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Letter No. 202, dated 18th October 1879, from the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, submitting for orders a letter No. 554, dated 16th October, from the Superintendent, Vellore Jail, and asking whether the notice calling for tenders for dieting prisoners in that jail which was enclosed therein should be published in the Gazette.

READ also docket No. 214, dated 25th October, from the same, stating that he had received similar notices from the Officers in charge of the Jails at Chittoor and Salem.

No. 6526—G. 1338, DATED CAMP KUNIGAL, 16TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—The intention of Government in the matter of advertisements was clearly expressed in Resolution of the Home Department of the Government of India No. 1801, dated 4th October 1878, which was printed in Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 7524—160, dated 13th December 1878; but the practice of publishing advertisements in the *Mysore Gazette* such as notices of sale, invitations for tenders and the like, which have not appeared in the local papers, does not appear to have ceased.

2. Thus in the *Mysore Gazette* for the 29th November, there are invitations for tenders for supplying articles of diet to the Central and Kolar Jails; a notice of sale of confiscated property, a notice of sale of lands, a notice of sale of cardamoms at Manantody, advertisement of Government Cinchona febrifuge, and a notice of the sale of salt in South Canara, none of which have appeared in any newspaper published in Bangalore, so far as the Chief Commissioner is informed.

3. Officers of this Administration will, in future, refrain from sending any notice of the character of those specified for publication in the *Mysore Gazette* unless the same has been sent for publication in a Bangalore newspaper, and if the Compiler, Mysore Gazette, receives any such notice for publication from an officer of this Administration without a certificate to the above effect, he is directed to return it.

4. Advertisements sent by officers of the Madras and other Governments should, unless accompanied by a like declaration, be submitted for the orders of the Chief Commissioner.

5. Private advertisements like those of Mysore Government officers will only be inserted if declared to have been sent for publication in a Bangalore newspaper.

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To—The Judicial Commissioner and Inspector General of Jails.
" Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, Revenue Department.
" Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, P. W. Department.
" Examiner, P. W. Accounts.
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" Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nundydroog Division.
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" Assistant Commissioner in charge of Palace Department.
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" Director, Government Gardens.
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" Superintendent, Government Press.
" Compiler, Mysore Gazette.
" President, Municipal Commission.
" Superintendent of Coorg.
" Assistant Conservator of Forests, Coorg.
" Superintendent, Revenue Survey, Coorg.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the General Department, (General),—dated 24th December 1879.

READ—

A letter dated 18th September 1879, from Mr. Standish Lee, Proprietor of the Woollen Factory at Bangalore, proposing several ways in which State aid may be extended to his industry.

No. 6717—GENL. 1390, DATED BANGALORE, 24TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—In the above read letter Mr. Lee renews a complaint which he made last year against the Central Jail which he says competes with his factory. In what way the jail competes with him Mr. Gordon does not know, nor does Mr. Lee say, but so far from entering into a competition with any new industry, and so stifling it in the birth, the jail has, Mr. Gordon is confidently assured, been a most useful pioneer in indicating to Mr. Lee and others where a profitable field may lie, and having done so it is ready to help any one who follows its lead. Mr. Gordon has in a separate order offered to do as much carpet and other weaving work for Mr. Lee as the convicts can turn out by the piece, at the usual market rate. One great difficulty in Mr. Lee's way is understood to be want of labor.

2. Mr. Lee also asks assistance in several ways, first by placing within his reach statistics of the wool produce of the Province. The request is perfectly reasonable, and although Mr. Gordon fears that the statistics collected by Government officers may not be all that could be wished at least for a time, he desires that Deputy Commissioners may turn their attention to this matter and report in what way they could periodically gather and communicate useful statistics of wool—its price, the amount in the market, the localities where it can best be obtained and its quality, for publication in the *Mysore Gazette*. Existing statistics will be furnished to Mr. Lee from the Revenue Department.

3. Secondly, Mr. Lee asks Government to encourage the improvement of the fleece by supplying rams and giving prizes. Mr. Gordon is not prepared at present to do anything towards importation and distribution of rams: the movement indeed must begin with the people, and when any indication is given of a desire to make intelligent use of well-bred rams if they are imported, the Chief Commissioner will then be quite ready to assist. Experience heretofore is rather against the existence of such a desire on the part of the people. It is Mr. Gordon's intention to revive the Nundydroog Cattle Show in the early part of 1880 when prizes will be offered for sheep with good wool.

4. Thirdly, Mr. Lee asks that his business be exempted from all taxes, Municipal and Imperial, for a term of years. The Chief Commissioner does not know what Imperial taxes Mr. Lee is paying, so far as he is aware none is paid to the Mysore State; but if the Bangalore Municipality consider that, on the grounds of Mr. Lee's being quite a new industry which if successful will tend to the enriching of Bangalore, a case is made out for exceptional treatment, Mr. Gordon will approve of the Municipality remitting taxes on Mr. Lee's premises and business for such time as may seem good to them.

5. As to Mr. Lee's fourth request for jail labor on such terms as to be equivalent to a grant-in-aid, the terms on which jail labor can be given have been stated above; and to ask for that labor at a cheaper rate than free labor is to ask Government to protect a single manufacturer against the healthy competition of the open market, to accept blindly Mr. Lee's own valuation of his venture, and to crush out all other private enterprise by applying the weight and resources of Government in sole aid of one; in fact to do for Mr. Lee what he asks may not be done against him.

6. Mr. Gordon desires that before going elsewhere for baize, flannel, carpets, constables' cloths, serges, blankets and the like, all officers requiring a supply of them will first inspect Mr. Lee's samples and if it appear to the public interest to do so, the supply may be obtained from him.

7. Mr. Lee's last request is that jails may be restricted "to the manufacture of such goods only as are required for departmental use, or for Government purposes

and such as are not obtainable in the local market." It is needless to say that the Chief Commissioner cannot entertain such a proposal, but if in any one instance it can be shewn that the Bangalore Jail undersells the free market by not making ample allowance in the prices charged for cost of labor, Mr. Gordon will be very ready to interfere and raise the prices.

8. A copy of Mr. Lee's 9th, 10th and 11th paras, referring to the practice of slaughtering sheep unshorn and afterwards cutting the wool from the skins, will be sent to the President of the Municipality for information. Mr. Gordon can scarcely believe that the owners understand the advantages of shearing the sheep before killing, and if they can be assured of a steady demand for the wool at a better price than they will get for it if they let the sheep be killed with the wool on, the custom will not be changed without having recourse to the legislation suggested by Mr. Lee. If however sheep farmers are so blind to their manifest and immediate interest, it is not difficult to estimate the measure of success which would attend the action of Government in introducing a few well-bred rams with the view of inducing these same people to utilize them in improving the fleece-bearing capabilities of their sheep.

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Mr. S. Lee.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(JUDICIAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	A proposition statement for increasing the permanent warder establishment of the Central Jail at Bangalore and of the District Jails at Kolar, Shimoga and Chikmagalur, was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, for sanction.	2nd Dec. 1879.	
2	In reply, the Commissioner and District Judge, Nagar Division, was informed that the *yadasht* from the late Huzur Adalat, regarding the execution of certain decrees against Gangadharapuriswami of Tirthahalli Ramchandrapur Matt, is not forthcoming in the Chief Commissioner's records, but that it is understood that an authenticated copy of the document was filed in O. S. No. 156 of 1875 on the file of the Judicial Assistant, Shimoga.	3rd do	
3	A petition from one Siddannaiya and others formerly practising as vakils, praying that they may be enrolled as 2nd class pleaders without examination, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner with remarks.	Do do	
4	A notification making certain promotions, appointments and transfers of Munsiffs, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
5	The summons issued by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, requiring his attendance at the Judicial Commissioner's Court to serve as an assessor during the ensuing sessions, was duly served on Mr. W. R. James, Diarist of this Office, and forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	5th do	
6	In reply, the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that there is no objection to the importation into Mysore of the ammunition referred to.	Do do	
7	The sanction of the Government of India, Foreign Department, was solicited to continuing the temporary camp jail at Binkal near Mysore until the end of 1880.	Do do	6th Feb. 1878, Part II, General.
8	The Government of India notification, dated 21st ultimo, appointing Mr. J. D. Sandford, B. C. S., Judicial Commissioner in Mysore, to be also Inspector General of Prisons, was communicated to that officer.	Do do	
9	The Government of India notification, dated 19th ultimo, extending to Mysore Act, No. XII of 1879 (an Act to amend the Code of Civil Procedure, the Registration Act 1877, and the Limitation Act, 1877), was communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
10	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner sees nothing in the petition presented by one Tirumala *alias* Motta under sentence of death in the Hassan District, which would justify a reference to the Government of India, and that the law must take its course.	Do do	
11	A letter from the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was forwarded to the District Magistrate of Bangalore with a request that he will report whether there is any objection to the importation of the ammunition referred to into the Mysore Territory.	6th do	

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12	On the recommendation of the Judicial Commissioner, the remission, under section 322 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, of 12 days of the sentence of imprisonment passed upon convict Lalya incarcerated in the Bangalore Central Jail, was sanctioned.	6th Dec. 1879.	
13	On the recommendation of the Judicial Commissioner, the sanction of the Government of India, Foreign Department, was solicited to the extension to Mysore of certain sections of the Legal Practitioners' Act XVIII of 1879, with modifications.	Do do	
14	The grant to Mr. Sandford, Judicial Commissioner, of privilege leave of absence from the 20th to the 27th November 1879 both days inclusive, was gazetted.	Do do	
15	A notification abolishing with effect from 1st instant, the Sub-Registry offices at Periyapatna and Maddur, and amalgamating them respectively with the ones at Húnsúr and Mandya, was gazetted.—Communicated to the Inspector General of Registration.	Do do	
16	The notification of the Government of India, Foreign Department, dated 21st November 1879, directing that for the purposes of Act V of 1861, the Town and Cantonment of Bangalore be deemed to be the local jurisdiction of the Magistrate of the District, was communicated to the District Magistrate of Bangalore for information and guidance and communication to Mr. Hewetson.	7th do	
17	A notification granting C. Seshaiengar, Munsiff of Húnsúr, leave on medical certificate from the 13th to the 30th November 1879 inclusive, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	8th do	
18	A notification investing Mr. B. Tirumalachar, Subordinate Judge of the Chitaldroog District, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 1st class and to take down evidence of complainants and witnesses with his own hand in the English language, was gazetted.	Do do	
19	As requested and under the circumstances represented, a warrant for the removal of a convict in the Jail at Mysore, named Rama, who is of unsound mind, to the Lunatic Asylum at Bangalore, was signed and forwarded to the Civil Surgeon and Superintendent, Mysore Jail.—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
20	Part IV of the *Gazette of India*, dated 29th ultimo, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner and to the District and Sessions Judges for information.	9th do	
21	Copy of letter dated 1st instant from the Judicial Commissioner, was forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with a request that the modifications of the General Clauses Act I of 1868 as applicable to Mysore, suggested therein, may be notified in the *Gazette of India*.	Do do	29th July 1878, Part II, Judicial.
22	A notification empowering Mr. P. Panchanath Rao, Assistant Commissioner, Túmkúr District, to take down the evidence of complainants and witnesses with his own hand in the English language, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
23	The Judicial Commissioner was asked if he would advise the purchase and distribution of Mr. Lacey's work on the stamp laws of Mysore amongst the courts in Mysore.	Do do	
24	In reply, the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that there is no objection to the importation into Mysore territory of the ammunition referred to.	10th do	27th ultimo, Part II, General.
25	A report upon the Trades and Professions Tax Bill No. 18 of 1879, was as requested submitted to the Government of India, Legislative Department.	Do do	
26	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the addition of certain rules to those contained in his Civil Rule of Practice, regulating the appointment of ministerial officers of the Civil Courts, is approved.	Do do	

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27	In reply, the District Magistrate of Hassan was informed that the Judicial Commissioner does not advise Mr. N. Chelviengar, Assistant Commissioner, being invested with powers to try summarily and the Chief Commissioner cannot accede to the recommendation.	10th Dec. 1879.	
28	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that under the circumstances of Mysore, the Chief Commissioner is reluctant to recommend that the Kanarese record of evidence taken in the civil courts of the Province be dispensed with.	Do do	
29	The District Magistrate of Bangalore was requested to report whether there is any objection to the importation into Mysore territory by N. V. Ramanjam and Co. of Madras, of the ammunition referred to by the Commissioner of Police of Madras.	11th do	
30	The record in criminal petition No. 6 of 1878, was returned to the Registrar, Judicial Commissioner's Court.	Do do	
31	A notification investing certain Subordinate Judges with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts, was gazetted.	Do do	
32	A notification investing Messrs. Syed Nasruddin, and A. Coopoosamy Modaliar, Assistant Commissioners, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 1st class and with certain additional powers, was gazetted.	12th do	
33	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Chief Commissioner is pleased to remit as a reward for good conduct one month from the two years' sentence under which convict Ponna of the Mysore Jail is now confined.	Do do	
34	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that the instructions issued by him for the employment of the 50 prisoners recently transferred from Shimoga to Mysore are quite in accordance with the wishes of the Chief Commissioner.	Do do	
35	In reply, the Government of India, Foreign Department, was informed by telegraph that the report upon the Trades and Professions Tax Bill was, in accordance with instructions from the Financial Department, submitted on the 10th instant to the Legislative Department.	Do do	10th instant, Part II, Judl.
36	In reply, the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that there is no objection to the importation into Mysore by M. Sabhapati Modli, Madras, of the ammunition referred to.	13th do	6th instant, Part II, Judl.
37	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed of the reasons it is not considered expedient for the Local Government to instruct, as suggested by him, the Public Prosecutor to move him formally in court when it wishes him to exercise his powers of revision.	Do do	
38	A bill to regulate labor in factories, received from the Government of India, Foreign Department, was forwarded to Mr. L. Ricketts, Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, and to Mr. T. R. A. Thumboo Chetty, District Judge of Nundydroog, for opinion.	Do do	
39	In reply, the Judicial Commissioner was informed that under section 322 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, the Chief Commissioner is pleased to remit 12 days of the sentence of imprisonment passed on convict Peddanna of the Central Jail.	Do do	
40	A notification adding the hoblis of Yelahanka, Krishnarajpur and Yesvantpur of the Bangalore Taluk to the present territorial criminal jurisdiction of the Munsiff of Yelahanka, was gazetted.	Do do	
41	The circumstances of a robbery of Her Majesty's mail running between Bangalore and Mysore on the evening of the 5th ultimo in the Mandya Taluk, were reported to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Do do	
42	Copies of the *Indian Jurist*, Vol. III, No. 12 for December 1879, were circulated to certain local heads of departments.	15th do	

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43	Copies of the Chief Commissioner's notification, dated 4th September 1879, regarding rules under which long term convicts who are employed as warders and work-overseers may earn gratuities and remission of sentence, were forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner for distribution.	16th Dec. 1879.	
44	The Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, was requested to forward to the District and Sessions Judge of Nundydroog certain judicial forms from the surplus stock.	Do do	
45	Part V of the *Gazette of India* dated 6th instant, containing a Bill to regulate the levy of Town-duties and tolls in Municipalities, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner and to the District and Sessions Judges.	17th do	
46	An order directing the accused Abdul Rahiman to be detained in the Bangalore Lunatic Asylum until capable of making his defence or until further orders, was communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore and to the officer in charge of the Lunatic Asylum.	Do do	
47	Returns of sick prisoners in the jails of Mysore and Coorg for the month of September 1879, received from the Inspector General of Jails, were forwarded to the Sanitary Commissioner with the Government of India.	Do do	
48	A petition from one Kumbar Sidda, complaining against the proceedings of the village authorities of Kadaba, Tumkúr District, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner for disposal.	18th do	
49	In reply, the Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that there is no objection to the importation into Mysore by Messrs. N. V. Ramanjam and Co., Madras, of the ammunition referred to.	Do do	11th instant, Part II, Judicial.
50	Seven warrants for the surrender of certain individuals who are stated to be concerned in a dacoity perpetrated at Kadehade in the Pavagada Taluk, Chitaldroog District, were forwarded to the District Magistrate of Bellary with the intimation that, for the reasons stated, the Chief Commissioner will be prepared to certify to the charge being one that should be tried in Her Majesty's Territory.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner, for information.	Do do	
51	On the recommendation of the Inspector General of Prisons, the remission of twelve days of the sentences of imprisonment passed upon convicts Channaraya and Ranga of the Bangalore Central Jail, was sanctioned.	Do do	
52	The statement of the Judicial Commissioner recommending the remission of portions of sentences of certain convicts in the Kukerhalli Jail, was returned with the order sanctioning the release endorsed thereon.	Do do	
53	The Resolution of the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, dated 22nd ultimo, regarding the court fee payable on appeals from orders issued by the civil courts under section 244 of the Code of Civil Procedure, 1877, which have been declared to be "Decrees" by section 2 of Act XII of 1879, was communicated to the Judicial Commissioner for information.	Do do	
54	The District and Sessions Judges were requested to submit their indents for judicial forms at an early date.	Do do	
55	In reply, the Public Prosecutor, Nundydroog Division, was informed that the Chief Commissioner does not consider it expedient to appeal from the acquittal of Muttusami Chetti, late Cash-keeper and Sheristadar of the Bangalore Branch of the Bank of Madras, on the charge of cheating, but on the prisoner's appeal he should, in supporting the conviction on the charge of using as genuine a forged document knowing the same to be forged, urge the inadequacy of the sentence passed and move the court to revise and enhance it.	19th do	
56	A notification appointing Mr. C. A. Hellein, Assistant Apothecary, to be Marriage Registrar for the Kolar District, *vice* Mr. J.	20th do	

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	Coleman retired, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar.		
57	A notification intimating that Mr. B. K. Venkat Vardaiengar, Police Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore District, delivered over charge of his office to Mr. L. Ricketts, Deputy Commissioner, on the 3rd instant, was gazetted.	20th Dec. 1879.	
58	A notification investing Messrs. D. Namkal Rao, Assistant Commissioner, Chitaldroog District, and C. Srinivasaiengar, Munsiff in the same District, with certain magisterial powers, was gazetted.	Do do	
59	The statement recommending the remission of 8 months and 17 days of the sentences of imprisonment passed upon convicts Kencha and Chanbasava in the Shimoga Jail, was returned to the Inspector General of Prisons with the Chief Commissioner's sanction to the remissions endorsed thereon.	Do do	
60	A notification investing Khader Mohadin, Munsiff of Challakere, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class, was gazetted.	Do do	
61	A notification investing P. Venkat Rao, Munsiff of Kadur, with the powers of a Magistrate of the 2nd Class, was gazetted.	Do do	
62	A report upon the bill to regulate labor in factories, was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, in reply.	22nd do	13th instant, Part II, Judl.
63	A notification investing V. D. Ponnarangam Modali, Munsiff of Nanjangúd, with the jurisdiction of a Judge of a Court of Small Causes for the trial of suits cognizable by such courts up to the amount of Rs. 50 within the local limits of the town of Nanjangúd, was gazetted.	Do do	
64	The Rule of Practice, Criminal Side, to regulate the granting of copies of a judgment, sentence, or order, or other proceedings on application, received from the Judicial Commissioner, was approved.	Do do	
65	A communication from the District Magistrate of Dharwar, regarding one Shankar Rudro (a British subject) accused of offences under sections 419 and 474 of the Indian Penal Code, was forwarded to the District Magistrate of Shimoga, for report.	Do do	
66	The Proprietor of the Caxton Press was requested to supply this Office with 42 copies of Mr. Lacey's work on the "Stamp Laws of the Territories of His Highness the Maha Raja of Mysore"	Do do	9th instant, Part II, Judicial.
67	A notification granting Dr. P. H. Benson, Civil Surgeon, Nagar Division, privilege leave for 15 days from such date as he may avail himself of it, was gazetted and communicated to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.	Do do	
68	The warrant addressed to the District Magistrate of Salem for the surrender of one Usman Khan, accused of the offence of receiving stolen property, was returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, duly signed by the Chief Commissioner.	23rd d	
69	A notification of the Judicial Commissioner, specifying the court holidays for the year 1880, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.—Communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do d	
70	A memorial addressed to His Excellency the Viceroy by certain Vakils of Mysore was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner with remarks for perusal	Do d	
71	A notification fixing the local limits of the jurisdiction of the courts in Mysore from the 1st January 1880, was gazetted.	24th d	
72	A notification granting Mr. C. Cross, Subordinate Judge, Shimoga District, privilege leave for three weeks from the 24th instant, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do d	
73	In reply, the Inspector General of Prisons was informed that the arrangements proposed during the absence of Dr. Benson from the	Do d	nd instant, Part II, Judl.

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	Shimoga Jail, are approved, and that the leave applied for has been sanctioned on a reference from the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.		
74	Certain depositions were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog with the intimation that a warrant for the rendition of prisoner Tolasi referred to therein has not been submitted.	24th Dec. 1879.	
75	A notification modifying para 21 of the Registration Rules for Mysore and Coorg, was gazetted.	26th do	
76	The list of Mysore and Coorg convicts who are to be released with permission to return to their homes, received from the Government of India, was forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner with a request that he will communicate the information to their relations.	Do do	
77	The warrant for the surrender of one Sha Sahib *alias* Syed Mir of Kolar, accused of the offence of theft under section 379 of the Indian Penal Code, was duly signed and returned to the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar.	30th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(FINANCIAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	The grant of an invalid gratuity to Shek Ahmed *alias* Mannu Sabi, late Distillery Peon, Gudibanda Taluk, was on the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, sanctioned.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	1st Dec. 1879.	
2	An estimate for Rs. 5—2—0, submitted by the Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District, for repairing the tent used by his office establishment, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
3	Applications for pensions on behalf of certain officials of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, submitted by the Deputy Accountant General, were sanctioned.	Do do	
4	In reply, the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was informed that a compensation pension of Rs. 20—12—[illegible] per mensem to Mir Husen Ali, late Town Sayer Daroga at Mysore, and an invalid pension of Rs. 7—3—3 per mensem to Seshagiriya, Nagadi Gumasta, Nanjangúd Taluk, are sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	2nd do	
5	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that the amount of furlough pay and allowances due to Lieutenant-Colonel Mollet, *minus* the amount disbursed to him by the India Office, may be paid to his agent at Madras.	3rd do	
6	In reply, the Government of India, Foreign Department, was requested the favor of demands against the Mysore State on account of maintenance of convicts at Port Blair who had been transported from Mysore, being made periodically and at short intervals, and accompanied by *monthly nominal* rolls shewing additions and casualties.	Do do	
7	In reply, certain observations regarding the applications for pension and gratuity submitted on behalf of certain individuals of his district, were communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar.	Do do	
8	The pension certificate of Alasingvaiya, late Revenue Gumasta of the Manjarabad Taluk, was returned, and the Deputy Commissioner of Hassan informed that the Chief Commissioner declines to authorize payment of pension in arrears from 13th May 1878 to 12th May 1879.	4th do	7th June 1879, Part II, Financial.
9	A compensation pension of Rs. 10 per mensem to Balaram Tivari, Municipal Clerk, Shimoga District Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General and to the Commissioner of Nagar for information.	5th do	
10	At the request of the Judicial Commissioner, the disbursement of Rs. 24—14—3, being the amount payable to three lascars employed for pitching his tents during his recent tour of inspection, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	6th do	
11	At the request of the Commissioner, Nagar Division, an expenditure of Rs. 94—8—0 for making up at the Central Jail at Bangalore a new outerfly to a bicholia belonging to the Medical Officer of the Kadur District and of Rs. 66 for executing certain repairs to the same tent locally, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	7th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
12	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, an estimate for Rs 77—12—0 for repairs to a hill tent belonging to the 2nd Assistant Commissioner's Office was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	8th Dec. 1879.	
13	A superannuation pension of Rs. 7—1—10 per mensem to Ramappa, late Record keeper of the Davangere Taluk, with effect from the 19th October 1878, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and Deputy Accountant General	Do do	
14	On the submission of applications by the Military Assistant, the payment of pensions to Subdars Ramji Boggidé and Mahomed Ghouse of the 3rd Regiment of Mysore Horse, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	9th do	
15	The payment of gratuities to eight individuals of the Nagar Division was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
16	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar, the payment of a compensation pension of Rs 11—10—6 per mensem to Venkatesaiya, late Sheristadar of the Gudibanda Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
17	The mileage bill of the District and Sessions Judge of Nundydroog on account of his tour in the Kolar District between the 3rd and 5th ultimo, was duly countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.—Communicated to the District and Sessions Judge	Do do	
18	At the request of the Judicial Commissioner, the payment of gratuities to certain peons of his establishment who were allowed to remain as supernumeraries, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	30th June 1879, Part II, Financial.
19	On the submission of applications by the Commissioner, Nagar Division, the payment of gratuities to peon Javara and Gollar Goni, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
20	The mileage bill of the District and Sessions Judge of Ashtagram, while absent on Sessions duty during the month of November 1879, was duly countersigned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.—Communicated to the District and Sessions Judge.	11th do	
21	A public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 82—6—8 was forwarded to the Superintendent, Lunatic Asylum, Madras, in adjustment of board and maintenance of Mr C. Ward *alias* Whittle, an inmate of the Asylum.	Do do	
22	On the submission of applications by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the payment of a compensation pension of Rs 40 per mensem to Amildar G. Timmaiya and of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 92 to peon Babu Khan, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	12th do	
23	On the submission of applications by the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, the payment of pensions to Surnamaya, Bayu Rao, and Narasing Rao, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General	Do do	
24	With reference to the application for gratuity submitted on behalf of sweeper Ramasanjiva, the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, was asked whether the words "without limit as to the number of years service" in Rule 3, Section 76, Civil Pension Code, can authorize gratuity for less than five years' service contrary to Clause A of the same section.	Do do	
25	The expenditure incurred on account of the Petta Famine Relief Hospital during the month of November last, was passed.—Communicated to the Officer in charge of the Hospital and to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
26	On the submission of an application by the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr, the payment of a compensation pension of Rs. 25 per mensem to H. Subba Rao, late Revenue Head Munshi, Túmkúr District Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	13th Dec. 1879.	
27	Copy of letter dated 23rd September 1879 from Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Mottet, late Deputy Commissioner, representing that the authorities at the India House, London, have from the 1st February last, retrenched part of his furlough pay earned by previous service in the Mysore Commission, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, as requested.	Do do	
28	At the request of Dr. Henderson, the payment to him of Rs. 150 from the Mansion House Funds at the credit of the Secretary in the General Department, for the continuance of the Pelta Famine Relief Hospital up to the end of December 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
29	A letter dated 9th instant from Mr. Hudson, Deputy Accountant General of Mysore, explaining, with reference to the Resolution of the Department of Finance, dated 17th October 1879, his management of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, was submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department, with remarks.	14th do	
30	At the request of the Judicial Commissioner the re appropriation of Rs. 65 to make up the estimated cost of certain furniture required for the courts in the Ashtagram Division, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
31	As requested by the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, the re-appropriation of Rs. 200 for the purchase of European medicines, was sanctioned, and the submission of a re appropriation statement requested.	Do do	
32	On the submission of the usual application, the payment of a compensation gratuity of Rs. 270 to Bharmaji, late Daffedar of the Anche Department, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General and to the Anche Bakshi.	Do do	
33	On the submission of the usual application by the Military Assistant, the payment of a compensation gratuity of Rs 319 to Tiruvengadachar, late Record-keeper, was sanctioned pending the decision of the Government of India on the question of the calculation of gratuities for inferior service in Mysore.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
34	The payment of an invalid gratuity of Rs. 80 to peon Venkatramana, Húnsúr Munsiff's Court; was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	15th do	
35	The Resolution of the Government of India, Department of Finance, dated 22nd ultimo, authorizing the grant to a pensioner when he is re-employed in active service, of travelling allowance for joining his appointment at the rates applicable to a public servant of his rank transferred from one appointment to another, was communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	18th do	
36	Under the circumstances represented by the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore, the payment of compensation gratuity of Rs. 112 to peon Subboji, late of the 3rd Assistant Commissioner's Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	27th ultimo, Part II, General.
37	An invalid gratuity of Rs. 60—1—4 to Abdul Khader, peon attached to the Civil Surgeon's Establishment, Nagar Division, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Surgeon General and to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
38	An invalid pension of Rs. 13—5—4 per mensem to Ramanna, late Peshkar of the Srinivaspur Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar and to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
39	As solicited by the Judicial Commissioner, the charge of Rs. 15—15—6 incurred by the Subordinate Judge of Mysore in the purchase of Europe stationery, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	18th Dec. 1879.	
40	An invalid pension of Rs 7—5—11 per mensem to Ranga Rao, late Revenue Gumasta of the Shimoga Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, and to the Deputy Accountant General.	19th do	
41	An invalid pension of Rs. 13—5—4 per mensem to Ramaiengar, late Peshkar, Anekal Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore and to the Deputy Accountant General.	20th do	
42	A compensation gratuity of Rs. 72 to peon Govinda, of Rs. 110 to Shekdar Madhva Rao, and of Rs. 145 to peon Mudda, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore and to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
43	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga, the payment of the capitation allowance on account of the orphan named Hanuma in the Shimoga orphanage, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
44	A compensation pension of Rs. 11—10—8 per mensem to Subba Rao, late Head Munshi of the Manjarabad Sub-Division Court, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
45	A compensation gratuity of Rs. 108 to Chikka, late a peon in the Ashtagram Division Commissioner's Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner and Deputy Accountant General.	22nd do	
46	Instructions for the distribution of Rs. 750 remaining in the Treasury at Mysore from the allotment of the Bengal Clothing Fund received during the late famine, were issued to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, Major C. McIlroy, Hunsur, and Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
47	On the explanation submitted by the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, invalid pensions to Bhimaji Guru Rao and Rajaram Govind of his department, were sanctioned from the date of their retirement.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	27th Oct. 1879, Part II, Fin.
48	On the recommendation of the Inspector General of Prisons, a reward of three months' pay to peon Mahomed Yakub of the Hassan Jail for his prompt and courageous action in going down the well inside the jail and preventing a prisoner from drowning himself, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
49	On the recommendation of Mr. J. Lacey, Honorary Secretary, Mysore Relief Committee, the grant of an honorarium amounting to Rs. 200 to Mr H. Eagles of the Deputy Accountant General's Office, in recognition of his services in keeping the accounts of the Mansion House Funds, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury for information.	24th do	
50	On the submission of the roll by the Military Assistant, the payment of a pension of Rs. 3—8—0 per mensem to Siledar Chattar Singh of the 3rd Regiment, Mysore Horse, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
51	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, the disbursement of arrears of pension due to Rama Rao, late Translator in the Ashtagram Division Commissioner's Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	26th do	
52	The payment of a compensation pension of Rs. 12—8—0 per mensem to Ranganiya Chetty, Shroff in the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury and to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
53	The payment of an invalid pension of Rs. 7—6—10 per mensem to Record-keeper, Raghavendra Rao, Honnali Taluk, and of an invalid	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	gratuity of Rs. 175 to Budan Khan, late a peon in the Shimoga District Office, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.		
54	The budget estimate of the Chief Commissioner's Establishment for the year ending 31st March 1881 was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	30th Dec. 1879.	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(GENERAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, was requested to report whether suitable employment could not be found for Singri and Yelloji, Peon and Lascar of the late Sub-Division Assistant Commissioner's Office, recommended for gratuity.	1st Dec. 1879.	
2	Copy of letter from the Postmaster General, Madras, stating that instructions have been issued to the Postmaster, Bangalore, and other officers of receipt from outside the Mysore Province, to hand over to the Anche office of their station for conveyance or delivery, all banghis and overland parcels received, addressed to Hassan, or places served through Hassan, was forwarded to the Anche Bakshi in Mysore.	Do do	13th Oct. 1879.
3	A notification intimating that Mr. Abdul Khader, Khan-Bahadur, delivered over and Mr. B. Tirumalachari, B. L., received charge of the Chitaldroog District Treasury on the 18th ultimo, was gazetted and copy communicated to the Commissioner, Nagar Division, with the remark that the statement of cash balance in the treasury should be submitted.	2nd do	
4	A notification intimating that Mr. B. G. Krishnaiengar, Assistant Commissioner in the Shimoga District, returned from privilege leave on the forenoon of the 13th instant and that the unexpired portion of the leave granted to him on the 8th August last, is cancelled, was gazetted.	Do do	8th Aug. 1879, Part II, General.
5	Copies of a report on the demarcation and management of forests in Kulu, were forwarded to the officers concerned.	Do do	
6	Four copies of the Report on Public Instruction in British Burma for 1878—79, were forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction.	Do do	
7	Four copies of correspondence received from the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, were forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, with a request that the result of any trial of dilute sulphuric acid as a prophylactic in cases of cholera, be communicated to this Office.	Do do	
8	As requested, copy of letter dated 9th July 1879 submitting to Government a list of the earliest dates on which the various reports of this administration for 1878—79, will be furnished, was forwarded to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	3rd do	
9	In reply, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that the Chief Commissioner regrets he is unable to comply with Mr. Vijiyaraghavalu Naidu's application for one month's privilege leave from the date on which he may be relieved of his duties in his retirement.	Do do	
10	In reply, the Commissioner, Nagar Division, was asked whether the circumstances of the Shimoga cemetery are not analogous to those of the one at Chikmagalur and whether it would not be expedient to appoint a Malichaukidar for the Shimoga cemetery also.	Do do	
11	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that on the explanation of the Superintendent of the Central Jail, the Chief Commissioner sanctions the entertainment in the public service of B. Narasinga Rao.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
12	At the request of the District and Sessions Judge of Nundydroog, sanction to his subscribing for a copy of the Madras Almanac and a sheet Almanac for 1880, was accorded.	3rd Dec. 1879.	
13	The Deputy Commissioner, Túmkúr District, was requested to expedite the transmission of the indents asked for.	Do do	21st Nov. 1879.
14	The usual distribution of Part IV of the *Gazette of India* of 22nd November 1879, was made.	Do do	
15	Five copies of the Mysore Civil List as it stood on the 30th September 1879, were forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	Do do	
16	One copy of the Mysore Civil List as it stood on the 30th September 1879, was forwarded to the Secretary to the Famine Commission, Simla.	Do do	
17	One copy of the Mysore Civil List as it stood on the 30th September 1879, was forwarded to the Private Secretary to His Excellency the Governor of Bombay.	Do do	
18	One copy of the Mysore Civil List as it stood on the 30th September 1879, was forwarded to the Secretary to Government, General Department, Bombay.	Do do	
19	One copy of the Mysore Civil List at it stood on the 30th September 1879, was forwarded to the Financial Secretary at the India Office, London.	Do do	
20	The Deputy Accountant General in Mysore was requested to supply the Deputy Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey and Assessment, with 200 copies of survey cheque form D.—Communicated to the Deputy Superintendent, Mysore Revenue Survey and Assessment.	Do do	
21	The Officiating Director of Public Instruction, Mysore and Coorg, was requested to furnish this Office with certain returns, to be appended to the Administration Report for 1878—79.	Do do	
22	A copy of the Mysore Civil List as it stood on the 30th September 1879, was forwarded to the General Superintendent, Thuggee and Dacoity, Simla.	Do do	
23	A petition, dated 24th November 1879, from T. Venkatsubbaiya, late Peshkar, Bangalore Anche office, was forwarded to Anche Bakshi for disposal.	4th do	
24	The Compiler, Mysore Gazette, was requested to furnish the current Record Department of the Chief Commissioner's Office with one copy of the Mysore Gazette, out of the two copies usually supplied to the General Record Department.	Do do	
25	Orders on the report of the inspection of the Catholic Orphanage at Shimoga for the quarter ending 30th September 1879, were communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga.	Do do	
26	In reply, the Superintendent, Government Press, was informed that the certificate for the clearance of the Press stores per S. S. *Hydaspes*, has been forwarded to Messrs. Arbuthnot & Co., Madras, and requested to submit a comparative statement in the form prescribed after receipt of the stores.	5th do	
27	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Túmkúr was requested to inform petitioner S. Venkoba Rao, Head Accountant in the Túmkúr District Treasury, that the Chief Commissioner cannot sanction the disbursement of his pay from the date of his suspension up to that of his restoration.	Do do	
28	The District and Sessions Judge of Ashtagram, the Deputy Commissioners of Mysore and Hassan, and the Treasury Officer of Mysore, were informed that they may separately supply themselves with a copy of the *Madras Army List* quarterly, and the *Madras Almanac* annually, charging the same in their office contingent bills.	6th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
29	The sale of farm produce at the Lal-Bagh on Tuesday the 16th instant, was notified in the *Mysore Gazette* and *Bangalore Spectator*.	6th Dec. 1879.	
30	The Deputy Commissioner of Mysore was requested to submit at an early date the special report called for on the working of the amended rules for the registration of vital statistics in rural circles.	8th do	13th Feb. 1879, Part I, General.
31	The order of the Government of Madras, dated 24th ultimo, relative to Captain A. H. Macintire's having passed in Persian according to the Higher Standard, was communicated to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner of Mysore.	Do do	14th Oct. 1879, Part II, Genl.
32	A notification intimating that Mr. N. Chelviengar, Assistant Commissioner, delivered over and Lieutenant-Colonel W. Hill, received charge of the Hassan District on the forenoon of the 1st instant, was gazetted.	Do do	
33	In reply, the Inspector of Post Offices, Bangalore, was informed that the receipt of any letter of the 17th June from Syed Makhodin of Bangalore, cannot be traced.	Do do	
34	A notice received from the Military Assistant's Office, calling for tenders for the refuse manure, sweepings, and night-soil of the Siledar lines for 12 months from the 1st proximo, was countersigned and forwarded to the Proprietor of the Bangalore Spectator for publication.	Do do	
35	Receipt of a copy of the report on the Administration of the Forest Department in Assam for 1878—79 from the Assistant Secretary to the Chief Commissioner of that Province, was acknowledged.	9th do	
36	Five copies of the Annual Report on the operation of the Lock-Hospitals in the Madras Presidency for 1878, were forwarded to the President of the Lock-Hospital Committee at Bangalore, for distribution.	Do do	
37	As solicited, copy of certain correspondence was furnished to Mir Amin-u-din, late Military Bakshi.	Do do	15th Sept. 1879, Part II, Genl.
38	On the recommendation of the Anche Bakshi, the making over of the Anche huts on the line between Periyapatna and Fraserpet which has been closed, to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore and the Executive Engineer, was approved.	10th do	
39	In reply, Miss L. H. Anstey, Kolar, was informed that the lane required for a Hospital cannot for the reasons stated be closed and made over to her, and requested to take the alternative site pointed out to her by the Deputy Commissioner, the Chief Commissioner not being prepared to grant her any more sites.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner.	Do do	
40	In reply, the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, was informed that for the reasons stated no provision should be made in the budget for 1880—81 for the Lying-in-Hospital at Bangalore.	11th do	
41	The Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore was asked how much of the contribution promised by Rai-Bahadur Yele Mallappa Chetti for the Lying-in-Hospital at Bangalore, has already been paid into the treasury, and how much remains still due by him.	Do do	
42	A copy of a catalogue of Sanskrit manuscripts in the North-Western Provinces, Part IV, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction.	Do do	
43	The Deputy Commissioner of Chitaldroog was informed that, under the circumstances represented, the retirement of Mr. Ganesh Singh, Assistant Commissioner, may be postponed until 1st February next, and requested in the meanwhile to forward his history of service for verification by the Deputy Accountant General.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General with a request that he will report the date on which Mr. Ganesh Singh can, under the special rules in force, retire on a pension of half of his pay.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
44	In reply, Messrs. Tasker and Wilson, Madras, were requested to inform Messrs. Barclay and Morgan that the draft lease of the Urgam gold mine in the Kolar District, is now under consideration and that the matter will be settled with the least practicable delay.	11th Dec. 1879.	
45	A notification intimating that Lieutenant-Colonel C. J. Pearse, Deputy Commissioner of Mysore, having returned from the three weeks' privilege leave granted to him on the 12th ultimo, the unexpired portion of his leave is cancelled, and that he has received charge of the District from Mr. Vijayendra Rao, Assistant Commissioner, on the forenoon of the 8th instant, was gazetted.	12th do	
46	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore was requested that endeavours be made to re-employ the two lascars and a peon of the Nanjangúd Sub-Division Assistant's Office rather than discharge them on gratuities.	Do do	
47	A general indent for police register forms for 1879—80 was forwarded to the Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, with a request that the forms may be printed and supplied to the officers concerned at an early date.	Do do	
48	In reply, the Postmaster General, Madras, was, with reference to the claim for compensation for the part of the property stolen in the mail robbery between Mysore and Boppanhalli on the 18th April last, which is said not to have been recovered, informed that the rules regarding the responsibility of Native States in such matters are not under present circumstances applicable to the Province of Mysore.	Do do	4th Aug. 1879, Part II, Genl.
49	The Assistant Adjutant General, Mysore Division, was informed that the Chief Commissioner will return to Bangalore from a tour in the Province on Wednesday evening, the 17th instant, and requested to have the usual salute fired on the occasion.	Do do	
50	Copy of this Office order, dated 3rd August 1877, regarding the house-tax on the quarters of the Superintendent of the Central Jail, was, as requested, forwarded to Dr. J. Henderson.	13th do	3rd Aug. 1877, Part II, Genl.
51	In reply, the Postmaster General, Bombay, was informed that a direct route still exists from Shimoga by Tumminkatte to Haveri in the Dharwar District, which is open to senders of letters, and that the Chief Commissioner is not prepared to substitute carts or mounted men for runners.	Do do	20th Oct. 1879, Part II, Genl.
52	In reply, Mr. T. Raghavendra Rao, Officiating Assistant Commissioner, Shimoga District, was informed that the Chief Commissioner was aware that he holds land in that District and that his brother practises as a pleader in Shimoga, and that these circumstances do not in Mr. Gordon's opinion create any reason against his employment in the Shimoga District.	14th do	
53	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore was asked the circumstances under which Shekdar Ram Rao's retirement is required, and to submit a statement shewing that no extra cost is incurred by the entertainment of another man.	Do do	
54	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that the Chief Commissioner does not consider it satisfactory that the simple matter of forwarding a public service transfer receipt to Mr. Corry at Cuddapah in payment of his retiring gratuity should take so long as, it has been reported, was the case, and that some more expeditious method seems desirable.—Communicated to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division for information.	Do do	
55	In reply, Mr. R. F. Hayes, Managing Proprietor, Bangalore Examiner, was informed that it is not intended to send the advertisement regarding the abolition of the Sub-Registry Offices at Periyapatna and Maddur to his newspaper.	17th do	
56	Receipt of 5 copies of the map of the Manjarabad Taluk, received from the Manager of the Mysore Revenue Survey Head-Quarters office, Bangalore, was acknowledged.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
57	A copy of the Report of the Madras Lunatic Asylum for 1878—79 was forwarded to the Surgeon to the Mysore Commission for perusal and return.	18th Dec 1879.	
58	A petition from one Lakkaraddi, complaining against the Amche Mutsaddi of Malur, was forwarded to the Amche Bakshi for information.	Do do	
59	A notification regarding the return to duty of Mr. N. Venkat Rao, Attaché, from the privilege leave granted to him on the 28th October last, was gazetted.	Do do	28th Oct. 1879, Part II, General.
60	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore was informed that Mr. B. Srinivasaiengar will join after being relieved by Mr. Chitambram Iyer, who is expected shortly at Tumkúr.	Do do	
61	Copies of the volume of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings for the month of October 1879, were submitted to the Government of India in the several departments.	Do do	
62	The Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, was requested to furnish the Deputy Accountant General with certain forms as specified.	Do do	
63	Copies of the volume of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings for the month of October 1879, were circulated to local heads of departments.	19th do	
64	In reply, the Surgeon to the Mysore Commission was informed that no information as to the date of despatch of the annual supply of medical stores for the Mysore Government for 1880—81, has yet been received.	Do do	
65	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of Bangalore was informed that he may order an Assistant Commissioner to inspect the famine orphanages for him in January next during his absence from Bangalore on jamabandi work.	Do do	
66	The memorial addressed to Her Majesty's Secretary of State for India on the 2nd October 1879, by Mr. M. Srinivas Rao, late Assistant Commissioner, was returned to him.	Do do	
67	The Superintendent Mysore Revenue Survey, was requested to submit at an early date the classified, general and distribution lists of officers of the Survey Department for the half year ending 25th December 1879.	20th do	
68	A notification intimating that Dr. P. G. Fitz Gerald delivered over and Dr. J. Wilson received, charge of the office of Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, Mysore Division and Ceded Districts on the 10th instant, was gazetted.	Do do	
69	On the recommendation of the Deputy Accountant General, the confirmation of Kuppu Rao in the appointment of Sheristadar of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, was approved.	Do do	11th June 1879, Part II, Genl.
70	In reply, the Amche Bakshi was informed that the Chief Commissioner cannot order that peon Munisami's service previous to his dismissal, shall count towards gratuity.	Do do	
71	The Superintendent, Lawrence Asylum, Madras, was requested to register the Mysore Administration as a subscriber to three copies of the Madras Quarterly Army List and two of the Quarterly Civil List for the year 1880.	Do do	
72	The Government of India was informed that there were no deaths among European uncovenanted officers employed in Mysore and Coorg during the month of October 1879.	Do do	
73	In reply, the Amche Bakshi was informed that his indent for forms for 1879—80 has been complied with, and that the necessity for a further supply should be explained.	Do do	
74	A notification intimating that Mr. E. C. Shanmugavelu Pille delivered over, and Mr. P. N. Purnaiya, B. A., received, charge of the	22nd do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order,	Date of previous Orders.
	2nd Assistant Commissioner's Office, Mysore District, on the forenoon of the 11th instant, was gazetted.		
75	Statements made by certain lascars and peons of the Chief Commissioner's camp were, in continuation of a demi-official on the same subject, forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Kadur with a request that he will inquire and report whether presents were made by taluk officials at Tarikere to camp servants.	22nd Dec. 1879.	
76	In reply, the Chief Secretary to the Government of Madras was informed that Hassan, though situated within the limits of the Province of Mysore, is in the diocese of Madras, and that provision should be made by the Government of Madras for the maintenance of a Mali-chaukidar for the cemetery thereat as well as for those at Chikmagalur, Shimoga, and Chitaldroog.	Do do	3rd instant, Part II, General.
77	The Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, was instructed to strike off 50 copies of the correspondence received from the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agriculture Department, regarding the use of dilute sulphuric acid in cases of cholera and submit them to this Office.	Do do	2nd instant, Part II, Genl.
78	Copies of the Mysore Topographical Survey map sheets, received from the Assistant Surveyor General, Calcutta, were forwarded to the District and Sessions Judges, Deputy Commissioners of Districts and the Superintending Engineer.	23rd do	
79	Copy of a letter dated 20th instant from Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., Madras, intimating the despatch to Bangalore of eleven packages of printing materials *ex Hydaspes*, was forwarded to the Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, for information.	26th do	
80	A supplemental indent for Department Public Works and Railway account forms for 1879—80, was forwarded to the Superintendent, Government Press, for compliance.	Do do	
81	The Deputy Commissioner of Shimoga was requested to report whether Mr. Vijiyaraghavalu Naidu was relieved of his duties in the forenoon or afternoon of the 1st instant.	Do do	
82	Copies of the annual report on the administration of Mysore for 1878—79 were submitted to the Government of India, Foreign Department.	Do do	
83	The Under-Secretary of State for India, India Office, London, was informed that a copy of the Annual Report on the Administration of Mysore for 1878—79 has been despatched by book-post to his address.	Do do	
84	Three copies of the *Indian Medical Gazette*, Vol. XIV, No. 12 for December 1879, were forwarded to the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department, for distribution.	29th do	
85	A copy of the General Report on Public Instruction in Bengal for 1878—79 was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.

(MILITARY.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Copies of letter, dated 19th November 1879, from the Government of India, Foreign Department, on the subject of reductions in the Mysore Barr Infantry, were communicated to the Military Assistant and the Deputy Accountant General.	1st Dec. 1879.	
2	Instructions were in reply communicated to the Commissioner, Ashtagram Division, relative to the withdrawal of the Barr guard at Sivasamudram.—Copy communicated to Military Assistant for information and guidance.	2nd do	
3	On the recommendation of the Military Assistant, the suspension of Subedar Mahomed Ummar of the 3rd Battalion of Barr, from rank and pay for two months for negligent conduct, was approved.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	8th do	
4	Copy of the return of the Mysore Siledar Horse for the month of November 1879, submitted by the Military Assistant, was as usual forwarded to the Quarter master General, Fort St. George.	18th do	
5	The unexpired portion of the six months' leave granted to Lieutenant A. M. Hayes on the 8th ultimo was, at his own request, cancelled.—Communicated to the Commandant, Bangalore Rifle Volunteers, in reply.	24th do	8th ultimo, Part II, Military.
6	A notification granting Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Stewart, Military Assistant, privilege leave for 26 days from the 14th January 1880, was gazetted.	26th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

MYSORE PROVINCE,

DECEMBER, 1879.

PROCEEDINGS

J. D. GORDON, Esq., C. S. I., B. C. S.,

CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

IN THE

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

PART I, IN EXTENSO.

REVENUE.
FINANCIAL.—*Nil.*
GENERAL.
EDUCATIONAL.—*Nil.*

PART II, IN ABSTRACT.

REVENUE.
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PART I.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(REVENUE.)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF DEC. 1879.

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Index Nos. of the Progs.	Subject.	Nos. and Dates of Proceedings.	Date of Report to the Secretary of State for India.	Nos. and Dates of previous Proceedings.	Page.
1	Directing that the Vaccinator's monthly returns be countersigned by both the Patel and Shanbhog instead of the Hobli Shekdar as at present.	No. 4519-28—Muul. 224, dated 3rd Dec. 1879.	...	...	1
2	Requesting the submission of a comprehensive scheme for placing the Chattrams and Musafarkhanas in the Province on an efficient footing.	No. 4583-90—Rev. 811, dated 8th Dec. 1879.	...	...	1
3	Requesting that the proposals relating to the duty on tobacco and arecanut in the order of the 27th September last, be given effect to from the 1st proximo, and calling for a report as to whether any reduction is feasible in the octroi duty on Indian goods.	No. 4914-25—Muul. 243, dated 24th Dec 1879.	...	No. 3362-73—Muul. 161, dated 27th Sept. 1879.	2

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department, (Revenue),—dated 8th December 1879.

READ—

Letter from the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, No. 1356, dated the 17th November 1879, suggesting that the Shanbhogs and Patels be in future required to countersign the Vaccinators' monthly returns, instead of the Hobli Shekdars as at present.

No. 4519-28—MUNL. 224, DATED CAMP MALEBENNUR, 3RD DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The arrangement proposed would certainly be an improvement as the Shekdars have constantly to move about, and should be carried into effect in all the Districts of the Province. The signatures of both the Patel and the Shanbhog should be obtained to the returns referred to.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Dy. Commissioners of Districts.
" Dy. Surgeon General, I. M. D., Mysore Dn.
" Surgeon to the Mysore Commission, Bangalore.

No. 4583-90—REV. 811, DATED CAMP DAVANGERE, 8TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER.—The Chief Commissioner's attention has been drawn to the unsatisfactory condition of the chattrams in the Province. They are kept up at a considerable expense from the Muzrayi Funds for the avowed purpose of feeding travellers, but the allowances are for the most part consumed by the establishment of Parpattegars and cooks maintained, and the so called feeding allowed in many cases for only portions of the month is simply a farce, and the chattrams from want of repairs and the unclean state in which they are kept, are totally unfit to provide suitable shelter to travellers.

2. The Chief Commissioner would not wish to divert to other purposes any portion of the funds sanctioned for these chattrams; but he considers that they will be properly employed primarily in keeping up the buildings in an efficient state in order to afford suitable accommodation to the different classes of travellers. It is believed that some of these chattrams are on roads which have ceased to be important, and others again are badly situated with regard to the convenience of road and water, whilst almost all of them are in such a state of disrepair that the money now and then spent on their temporary and partial repairs is simply thrown away.

3. The Chief Commissioner desires that the Deputy Commissioners of the several Districts will submit a comprehensive scheme for placing these institutions on an efficient footing, so as to provide proper shelter and accommodation to native travellers. They should submit lists shewing the existing chattrams, their allowances and establishments, and what alterations are required to adapt them for the purpose mentioned, where existing buildings can be utilized for the purpose by suitable repairs, and in what cases new buildings require to be constructed with the materials of those abandoned, together with a general plan and cost of the alterations proposed.

4. Charitable feeding may with advantage be confined to a few special chattrams and to seasons when it may be required in connection with religious pilgrimages. But the establishments of Parpattegars and cooks which are now uselessly maintained may, in most cases, be at once dispensed with, substituting for them a caste cook and a sweeper or a sweeper only to keep the place clean and to attend to the wants of travellers.

5. The musafarkhanas which have been more recently constructed with the same object of providing accommodation to native travellers, should be included in the list, stating in what manner these and the chattrams are proposed to be utilized in the general scheme. The Muzrayi Funds can be supplemented from Local Funds to such extent as may be necessary for the object in view as the chattrams and musafarkhanas are properly a charge on Local Funds.

6. An early reply is requested. A general scheme will suffice, which, on being sanctioned, could be worked out in detail.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department, (Revenue),—dated 24th December 1879.

READ—

Letter from the Under-Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, No. 101 I. R., dated 13th December 1879.

No. 4914-25—MUNL. 243, DATED BANGALORE, 24TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The Government of India having approved of the arrangements proposed in paras 25 to 29 of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings, dated 27th September 1879, No. 3362—Mi. 161, the Municipal President at Bangalore and the Deputy Commissioners of the several Districts are requested to give effect to the same from the 1st proximo. No municipal octroi is to be levied on arecanut, which will be subject only to the existing sayer duty collected at the place of its production.

2. Tobacco will pay a combined town-duty at the rates specified in the above Proceedings, but no sayer duty at the place of its production.

3. In the Municipalities of the Town and Cantonment of Bangalore, the octroi on arecanut should be discontinued, but the existing arrangements in regard to tobacco, under which no portion of the octroi collections on the article imported from British Territories is contributed to the Provincial Revenue, will continue for the present.

4. The Government of India consider the octroi at 5 per cent *ad valorem* on cloths of Indian manufacture too heavy. The Deputy Commissioners are requested to report whether any reduction can be made in it.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The President, Municipal Commission, Bangalore.
" Deputy Commissioners of Districts.
" Deputy Accountant General in Mysore.
Also to the Commissioners of the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions for information.

PART I.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(GENERAL.)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF MYSORE FOR THE MONTH OF DEC. 1879.

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1	Directing that arrangements be made for the levy of the octroi duties prescribed in the Proceedings of the 27th September 1879, on betel leaves, cocoanut and tobacco in all municipal towns without exception.	No. 4844-51—Muni. 235, dated 19th Dec. 1879.	...	No. 3362-73—Muni. 161, dated 27th Sept. 1879.	1
2	Calling for a statement of the different lines of traffic between Mysore and the adjoining British Territories, shewing on which of them tolls are levied in British Territories and on which the same are or may be levied in this Province, and what arrangements Deputy Commissioners would propose on the subject.	No. 4852-59—Muni. 236, dated 19th Dec. 1879.	...	...	1
3	Requesting opinion on the subject of levying municipal octroi on Mysore piece goods.	No. 4860-67—Muni. 237, dated 19th Dec. 1879.	...	No. 3362-73—Muni. 161, dated 27th Sept. 1879.	2

READ—

Letter from the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, No. 327 of the 1st November 1879.

No. 4844-51—MUNL. 235, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The Chief Commissioner is sensible of the objections to the levy of an excise duty at minor stations where sufficient supervision cannot be exercised, and it is in this view that the levy of the Sayer has been transferred from the villages to the Municipal towns. It will be inconvenient to allow the tax to be levied in some towns of the Province and not in others ; and in order to obtain proper data to judge of the effects of the alterations ordered in Proceedings No. 3362-73—Ml. 161, dated 27th September 1879, the Chief Commissioner considers it necessary that the Octroi duties should be levied in all the Municipal towns without exception on the articles marginally noted and at the rates specified. The Deputy Commissioners are requested to arrange accordingly. In the minor stations, the duties will be best collected by the village officers on the articles brought to the bazars for sale, without the necessity of any Sayer Kattes or separate establishments. There will be some room for smuggling in this arrangement, but it will be reduced, it is hoped, to a minimum under the supervision of the Municipalities.

Betel-leaves at 2 pie per bundle of 100 leaves.
Cocoanut, dry, at 8 annas per maund.
Do fresh, at 8 annas per 100.
Tobacco at one rupee per maund after the receipt of the sanction of the Government of India.

2. The Octroi taxation of other articles than the above is left to the discretion of the Municipalities, who should, however, obtain previous sanction to any new taxation under the Proceedings above referred to.

3. The Chief Commissioner does not approve of the proposed doubling of the duty on cocoanuts, as the existing Sayer rate already comes to nearly 20 per cent of the value of the article.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.
„ Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.

READ—

Docket from the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, No. 1347—392 of the 12th November 1879, proposing the retention of the five Sayer Kolkars in the District for the registration of trade between this Province and Her Majesty's Territories.

No. 4852-59—MUNL. 236, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—If the five Sayer Kolkars referred to are retained for the registration of traffic on the several lines of road on the frontiers of Her Majesty's Territories, their cost should not be charged to the Sayer Department. The Chief Commissioner considers that this registration of traffic may be best combined with the levy of tolls on the frontiers on the several lines of road. The Deputy Commissioners of Districts are requested to furnish a statement of the different lines of traffic between this Province and the adjoining British Territories, and to state on which of them tolls are levied in British Territories, and on which the same are or may be levied in this Province also, and what arrangements they would propose on the subject.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioner, Kolar District.
„ Deputy Commissioners of other Districts.

Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Mysore in the Revenue Department, (General),—dated 19th December 1879.

READ—

Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 3362-73—Ml. 161, dated 27th September 1879, regarding municipal taxation.

No. 4860-67—MUNL. 237, DATED BANGALORE, 19TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—The Chief Commissioner observes that piece-goods manufactured within the Province have not hitherto been subjected to Municipal Octroi, and considering that a separate tax is levied on looms, he is of opinion that the exemption of cloths of local manufacture from Municipal Octroi should continue, or at least, they should not be subjected to a higher rate of octroi than is levied on piece-goods imported by sea, *viz.*, Rs. 1—8—0 per cent *ad valorem*. The Deputy Commissioners are requested to submit their views on the subject and meanwhile to abstain from levying the octroi on Mysore-made piece-goods.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

To—The Deputy Commissioners of Districts.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(REVENUE.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co., the toddy contractors of the Bangalore District, were called upon to furnish the Deputy Commissioner forthwith with a list showing the particulars of retail toddy shops in the Bangalore District.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District.	2nd Dec. 1879.	
2	As proposed by the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, the redistribution of the charges of the Shanbhogs of the Jemenahalli and Vaduru Pirkas in the Channarayapatna and Manjarabad Taluks respectively, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Survey Superintendent.	3rd do	
3	In reply to his petition dated 9th July 1879, Virabhadraiya of Begur in Nelamangala Taluk, was informed that as from the Deputy Commissioner's report it appeared that he had been allowed to resign his lands under notice, no further orders were called for.—Copy sent to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District.	Do do	21st Oct. 1879, Part II, Revenue.
4	In reply to their petition dated 25th October 1879, Venkatachala Bhat and Venkatrama Bhat of Agara in Mulbagal Taluk were informed that the Chief Commissioner saw no reason to interfere with the orders passed by the Deputy Commissioner, declining to grant any remission of assessment.—Copy sent to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District.	Do do	
5	The season report for the week ending 29th November 1879, was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	Do do	
6	Three printed copies of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 15th November 1879, were forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, &c., Calcutta.	Do do	
7	Petition No. 2646 of 1879.—80 from Nanjundaiya of Naganna Pettah, Bangalore, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, with a request to report how the claim of the petitioner for compensation for the trees inclosed in the railway compound had been disposed of and also to state the age of the trees.	5th do	
8	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was requested to state how the cases shewn as pending on the 31st July 1879 in the statement of revenue cases for that month had been disposed of.	Do do	
9	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division and the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District were requested to submit early the returns of revenue cases Nos. 5 and 6 due for the month of October 1879.	Do do	
10	The Inam Superintendent was informed that the final order passed by the Superintendent of the late Bangalore Division, regarding the inam land of one Udupi Srinivasachar in Hoskote Taluk, referred to by him, could not be traced in the records of the late Nundydroog Division.	Do do	
11	Coffee Patta No. 20, granted to Intra Mannvelu Prabhu for the jungle known as the Uggihalli Udve, was returned to the Deputy	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	Commissioner of the Hassan District duly countersigned by the Chief Commissioner, and with the remark that as the estate referred to was attached to 6 villages, the Survey Superintendent might find it feasible in this and similar cases to attach the whole of each estate to one village.—Communicated to the Superintendent of Revenue Survey.		
12	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was requested to furnish the details of the sums of Rs. 481—0—10 and Rs. 268-1-7 entered against Betmangala and Shrinivaspur Taluks under column 8 "Ryotvar" in the demand, collection and balance statement No. 1 of land revenue for September 1879.	6th Dec. 1879.	
13	In reply, the President of the Bangalore Municipal Commission was informed that the Municipal assessment on houses should be collected within the year for which it is due, and therefore no alteration of the regulations on the subject was necessary.	8th do	
14	Certain discrepancies between the local cess statements for 1877-78 and 1878—79 were pointed out to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, and he was requested to submit a list shewing the addition made to the inam villages during the current year and also their beriz and quit-rent.	9th do	
15	Petition No. 2420 of 1879—80 from Hebbalalu Venkatesaiya of Tippasandra in Magadi Taluk, complaining of the village shanbhog, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	
16	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to submit a list of the jodi and ardhamanya villages transferred to the kayamgutta account and their beriz and quit-rent.	Do do	11th Nov. 1879, Part II, Revenue.
17	The Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District was requested to submit individual lists of remissions granted during the jamabandi of 1878—79 in the Koratagere and 4 other taluks of his District.	Do do	
18	For reasons stated, the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was requested to submit a revised statement class I, No. 2, shewing the average prices of different grains for July 1879, agreeably to the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 4911—Rev. 34, dated 24th September 1878.	10th do	
19	The season report for the week ending 6th December 1879 was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	Do do	
20	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 30th November 1879, was forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, &c., Calcutta.	Do do	
21	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was informed that the Chief Commissioner is unable to give extra assistance, and that the work of the District must be distributed among the permanent staff of officers provided for it.	Do do	
22	The forms according to which inam accounts were directed to be prepared in this Office docket No. 1626—171, dated 22nd August 1878, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District.	Do do	
23	Copies of the Excise Act X of 1871 were forwarded to the several officers of the Mysore Commission.	11th do	
24	The Commissioner of Nagar Division was requested to call upon the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District to submit a statement shewing in detail under what circumstances the mohatarfa revenue in the Chikmagalur Municipality declined since 1873—74, &c.	Do do	
25	An extension of 6 months' time was granted to the ryots of Yadahalli in Mulbagal Taluk, to enable them to build houses on the new village site granted to them.	12th do	29th March 1879, Part II, Revenue.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
26	Petitions Nos. 686 and 1865 of 1879—80 from Raghavendra Rao, son of Khazana Srinivas Rao of Kolar District, regarding repairs to Tandramakanhalli tank in Chikballapur Taluk, were forwarded to the Superintending Engineer for disposal with reference to the correspondence ending with this Office letter No. 1686—30, dated 25th June 1870.	13th Dec. 1879.	
27	Petition No. 2148 of 1879—80 from Subba Bhat of Perur, residing at Bangalore, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Inam Settlements for disposal.	Do do	9th Sept. 1879. Part II, Rev.
28	The revised statement of mohatarfa collections for 1878—79, received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District, was returned to him with a request to furnish certain particulars and re-submit the statement at an early date.	Do do	10th Nov. 1879, Part II, Revenue.
29	Ten copies of the Survey Manual were forwarded to each of the Deputy Commissioners of Districts for sale at Rs. 1—4—0 per copy.	Do do	
30	Two hundred copies of the same were forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for sale at the Tract and Book Depository.	Do do	
31	A notice offering the same for sale at Rs. 1—4—0 per copy at the Book and Tract Depository, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette, for publication.	Do do	
32	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to submit the demand, collection and balance statements of the three Districts of the Nagar Division for October 1879, as early as practicable.	Do do	
33	Petition No. 2053 from Kalleganda of Hosahalli Koppalu in Periyapatna Taluk, for remission of house tax, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, for disposal.	Do do	
34	Petition No. 2023 of 1879—80 from Narnappa of Balaganji in Kadaba Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District, for disposal.	Do do	
35	Petition No. 1962 of 1879—80 from Rangegauda and others of Basavanhalli in Maddagiri Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District, for disposal.	Do do	
36	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was informed that it was unnecessary at present to take any action in the matter of the Burdehal Kaval in the Hassan Taluk, pending the settlement of the future tenure of the Amrut Mahal Kavals.—Communicated to the Officer in charge of the Amrut Mahal Department.	Do do	19th Sept. 1879, Part II, Revenue.
37	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that the arrangements made for the refund of irrigation cess on inams in the Kavaledurga Taluk were approved, and the early attention of the Survey and Inam Commissioner was invited to Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 690—88, dated 28th May 1879, &c.	Do do	
38	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was informed that the needful repairs to the Agara and Bommasamudra tanks should be executed under the principles laid down in the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 1168—G. 17 of the 8th May 1879, that detailed instructions on the subject would be shortly issued, and that meanwhile the contributions collected therefor need not be refunded.	Do do	
39	Petition No. 1854 of 1879—80 from Basappa and others of Devikoppa and certain other villages of Sorab Taluk, complaining of the transfer of their villages to the Sorab Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for disposal.	Do do	
40	Petition No. 1840 of 1879—80 from Mullanna and others of Belgavi in Shikarpur Taluk, requesting that their magni might be transferred to the Sorab Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for disposal.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
41	Petition No. 2063 of 1879–80 from Aigur Mallegauda, Mokhtesar Patel, Manjarabad Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, with a request that the purport of the orders passed by the Chief Commissioner in Proceedings No. 51—2, dated 22nd April 1879, might be communicated to petitioner.	13th Dec. 1879.	
42	Petition No. 1827 of 1879—80 from Subbaraya Bhat, Archak of Bhimesvara Devaru in Kavaledurga Taluk, regarding certain lands, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for report.	Do do	
43	Petition No. 1642 of 1879—80 from Naraharaiya and other Shanbhogs of Badihal Taluk, praying for the remission of certain fines, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District, for report.	Do do	
44	Petitions Nos. 1767 and 1907 of 1879—80 from Nuraseganda of Tatanhalli in Narasipur Taluk, for the cancellation of the sale of his lands, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for report.	Do do	
45	Petition No. 1572 of 1879—80 from Subbanna of Gandasi in Haranhalli Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for report.	Do do	
46	Petitions Nos. 1313 and 1345 of 1879—80 from Muniyappa, Venkatappa and other Tigalars of Bangalore, regarding their burial ground, were forwarded to the President of the Bangalore Municipal Commission, for report.	Do do	
47	Petition No. 2166 of 1879—80 from S. Timmaiya of Hosgunda in Sagar Taluk, for the remission of interest on arrears of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for disposal.	Do do	
48	Petition No. 2137 of 1879—80 from Ramgiri Srinivasaiengar of Mohur in Closepet Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	2nd Oct. 1879, Part II, Revenue
49	Petition No 1969 of 1879—80 from Ramaiya of Agara in Bangalore Taluk, complaining of certain frauds committed by Atchappa, Shanbhog of Challagatta, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	
50	Petition No 1139 of 1879—80 from Shanbhog Venkatappa and others of Arkalgud, complaining of the Archak of Amritesvaraswami temple, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for disposal.	Do do	
51	Petitions Nos. 742 and 2202 of 1879—80 from Srikantaiya of Alsur Pettah, Bangalore, regarding a certain piece of land, were forwarded to the President of the Bangalore Municipal Commission, for report.	Do do	
52	Petition No. 1650 of 1879—80 from Nagam Bhat and other Jodidars of Kayamgutta Dandigepura in Magadi Taluk, for extension of time to pay the jodi, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	
53	Petition No. 1452 of 1879—80 from Mastan Sabi and others of Channapatna, soliciting orders to construct a gate near the 35th mile stone to enable their cattle, &c., to cross the Mysore State Railway was forwarded to the Engineer in Chief, Mysore State Railway, for disposal.	Do do	
54	Petition No. 1357 of 1879—80 from Kalegauda of Hulkunte in Dodballapur Taluk, regarding certain pasture lands, was forwarded to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nundydroog Division.	Do do	
55	Petition No. 886 from Ramaiya and others of Nallur in Anekal Taluk, complaining of the malpractices of Narasimhappa, the Shekdar of their hobli, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	

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56	Petition No. 772 of 1879—80, from the inhabitants of Ronur in Shrinivaspur Taluk, complaining of Patel Shatulla Khan, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for disposal.	13th Dec. 1879.	
57	Petition No. 2054 of 1879—80, from Nanjundaiya, Patel of Virupapura in Magadi Taluk, for the release of his property from attachment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for such consideration as might be necessary.	Do do	4th Oct. 1879, Part II, Rev.
58	Petition No. 1963 of 1879—80, from Subbaiya of Huliyurdurga in the Kunigal Taluk, regarding the repairs to the feeder of the Dharmambudhi tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkur District, for report.	Do do	
59	Petition No. 1944 of 1879—80, from Ramakrishnagauda of Gubbi in Kadaba Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkur District, for disposal.	Do do	9th Aug. 1879. Part II, Rev.
60	Petition No. 1926 of 1879—80, from Cheluvaiya of Honnenhalli in the Nagamangala Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District in continuation of this Office memo No. 3008—393, dated 12th September 1879.	Do do	
61	Petition No. 1912 of 1879—80, from Yedahalli Timmaiya and others of Mallur Magani in Kavaledurga Taluk, for reduction of assessment, was forwarded to the Survey Superintendent, for report.	Do do	
62	Petition No. 771 of 1879—80, from T. Munisami Pille, late holder of arrack license No. 35, Dispensary Road, Bangalore, was forwarded to the President of the Bangalore Municipal Commission, for disposal.	Do do	
63	Petition No. 1331 of 1879—80, from Jaffar Shamshuddin of Kasba Mulnagal, for remission of assessment, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for such consideration as the case might require.	Do do	
64	Petition No. 2352 of 1879—80, from Chikmasetti of Madanamadu in Budihal Taluk, for three years' time to pay the arrears of assessment due by him, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District, for disposal.	16th do	
65	Petition No. 2245 of 1879—80, from Ramaiya of Manditale in Sagar Taluk, complaining of his inability to pay the assessment on his garden, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for disposal.	Do do	3rd Sept. 1879.
66	Petition No. 2214 of 1879—80, from Narasimmavadhani and Sannachikka of Kenganhalli in Attikuppa Taluk, regarding the repairs of the Kengkere tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for report.	Do do	
67	Petition No. 2207 of 1879—80, from Rangegauda of Dodballapur, regarding the patelship of Durgapur, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for report.	Do do	
68	Petition No. 2053 of 1879—80, from the Guru of the Matt at Sravanbelagola in Channaraypatna Taluk, regarding certain inam lands, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for report.	Do do	
69	Petition No. 2092 of 1879—80, from Ramaiya and others of Solur in Magadi Taluk, regarding the repairs of their village tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal, or report if necessary.	Do do	
70	Petition No. 2101 of 1879—80 from Venkatappa of Manchanhalli in Magadi Taluk regarding a certain piece of land, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal or report if necessary.	Do do	
71	Petition No. 2169 of 1879—80, from Setti Channappa of Sulibele in Hoskote Taluk, requesting compensation for a piece of land,	Do do	

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	was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for report.		
72	Petition No. 2132 of 1879—80, from Mahomed Isuf and others of Channapatna, complaining that a new road had been opened across their burial ground, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for report.	16th Dec. 1879.	
73	Petition No. 2083 of 1879—80, from Narasimmaiya of Ganjigunte, residing at Chikballapur, regarding a certain piece of land, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for report.	Do do	
74	Petition No. 1825 of 1879—80, from Srinivasaiengar and others of Halla Alagadu in Talkad Taluk, regarding the repairs of the feeder channel of their tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, for report.	Do do	
75	Petition No. 2364 of 1879—80, from Adiraddi and others of Jinojarlu in Gummayakanpalya Taluk, soliciting orders to repair their tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for report.	Do do	
76	Petition No. 2363 of 1879—80, from Viraiya of Nagamangala, regarding the arrears due by him, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for enquiry and disposal.	Do do	
77	Petition No. 2351 of 1879—80, from Gauramma, wife of Ramaiya of Bagade in Haranhalli Taluk, for extension of time to pay the assessment due by her, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for such consideration as may be necessary.	Do do	
78	Petition No. 2273 of 1879—80, from Shamaiengar and others of Chikmolur in Closepet Taluk, for the restoration of the tasdik of Gopalkrishnaswami temple at that place, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	
79	Petition No. 2128 of 1879—80, from the Parpattegar and other servants of the chattram at Banavar, complaining of the stoppage of their pay, &c, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District, for disposal.	Do do	
80	Petition No. 2105 of 1879—80, from Kale Channegauda of Devarpatna in Mandya Taluk, for remission of assessment, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of Mysore District, for disposal.	Do do	
81	Petition No. 1993 of 1879—80, from Channamma of Bannur in Arkalgúd Taluk, regarding the repairs of the Garikekatte tank, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for disposal.	Do do	
82	Petitions Nos. 1949, 2065, 2076 and 2189 of 1879—80, from Honnegauda and others of Lakkur, Nelamangala Taluk, regarding the mirasis payable to totis, &c., were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	
83	Petition No. 2145 of 1879—80, from Shamanna of Alalgatta, in Chikmayakanhalli Taluk, for remission of assessment, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, for disposal.	Do do	
84	Petition No. 2515 of 1879—80, from Somegauda and others of Banakal Hobli in Múdgere Taluk, complaining that one Devatamma Hebbarti and her son felled the bagni trees leased out to petitioners, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District, for disposal.	17th do	
85	Petition No. 2285 of 1879—80, from Siddegauda of Maranayakanhalli in Hassan Taluk, regarding a certain piece of land, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for report.	Do do	
86	Petition No. 2362 of 1879—80, from Ramaiya of Gudibanda for permission to pay the arrears due by him by monthly instalments of	Do do	

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	half a rupee each, &c., was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for disposal.		
87	Petition No. 2450 of 1879—80, from Shankaraiya and other jodi inamdars of Arana Agrahara in Koratagere Taluk for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, for such consideration as may be necessary.	17th Dec. 1879.	
88	Petition No. 2562 of 1879—80, from Rangiri Subba Rao of Dharapur, Closepet Taluk, regarding a certain piece of land, was forwarded to the Inam Superintendent, for disposal.	Do do	
89	Petitions Nos. 1206, 844, 2089, 2095, 2142, 2331, 2398 and 2397 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Túmkúr District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
90	Petitions Nos. 2216, 2307, 2354 and 2396 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Hassan District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
91	Petitions Nos. 2123, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2208, 2210, 2211, 2255, 2258 and 2259 of 1879—80, from the ryots of the Bangalore District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
92	Petitions Nos. 2100, 2138, 2167, 2180, 2192, 2367 and 2373 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Kolar District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
93	Petitions Nos. 2098, 2161, 2162, 2165 and 2350 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Shimoga District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
94	The season report for the week ending 13th December 1879, was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	Do do	
95	Petitions Nos. 2588, 2555 2551, 2443 and 2328 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Hassan District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
96	Petitions Nos. 2523, 2516, 2416, 2411 and 2264 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Shimoga District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
97	Petitions Nos. 2609, 2579, 2535, 2506, 2479, 2473, 2412 and 2388 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Kolar District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
98	Petitions Nos. 2627, 2606, 2604, 2602, 2585, 2533 and 2490 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Túmkúr District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
99	Petitions Nos. 2619, 2612, 2584, 2580, 2561, 2553, 2549, 2530, 2529, 2495, 2444, 2440 and 2401 of 1879—80, received from the ryots of the Bangalore District, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of that District, for disposal.	Do do	
100	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to submit an early reply to this Office memo No. 3733—461, dated 17th October 1879, forwarding for report petition No. 701, dated 13th June last from Hydersha and other musalmans of Hoskote.	Do do	
101	The Deputy Commissioners of the Mysore, Hassan and Kadur Districts were requested to send early replies to this Office Proceedings No. 3706-14—313, dated 16th October 1879, regarding the number of amrut mahal bulls required for each District.	18th do	
102	The instructions issued by the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District regarding the levy of house tax were approved, and	Do do	

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	he was requested to submit a list of the rates of mohatarfa other than house tax adopted in municipal towns.		
103	The attention of the Commissioner of the Nagar Division and the Deputy Commissioners of the Túmkúr, Mysore, Shimoga, Kadur and Chitaldroog Districts was invited to this Office Proceedings No. 3555-66-R. 612, dated 10th October 1879, requesting opinion on the several points noted in circular letter from the Home Department dated 6th March 1879, published at page 432 of the Selections from the Records of the Government of India, Home Department, on the subject of the law of land sale.	18th Dec. 1879.	
104	The Deputy Commissioners of Districts were informed that the price per copy of the Excise Act X of 1871 was 2 annas and 3 pies.	Do do	
105	As proposed by the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, the substitution of 'aya' for cash payments to the minor village servants in Belludi in Davangere Taluk was approved, and the Deputy Commissioners in the Ashtagram and Nagar Divisions were requested to report on the expediency of introducing into their respective districts the scale of fees sanctioned for the minor village servants in the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 3335—62, dated 1st August 1878.	Do do	
106	In reply, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that with certain exceptions the articles upon which municipal octroi was to be levied and the rates of duty subject to the maximum limit fixed, were left to the discretion of the Municipalities, that the rates of duty proposed for the Shimoga Municipality were approved, &c.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore, Kolar, Túmkúr, Mysore and Hassan Districts.	20th do	
107	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District and the other Deputy Commissioners were informed that the municipal taxes authorized in the order of the 27th September 1879 could not have retrospective effect, &c.	Do do	
108	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division and the Deputy Commissioners of the Districts in the Ashtagram and Nundydroog Divisions, were informed that the sayar duty on cardamoms should continue to be levied pending the orders of the Government of India on a proposal made on the subject.	Do do	
109	The Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District was requested to submit a report on the reduction of such sayar establishment as may be feasible.	Do do	
110	Three printed copies of the returns of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Province for the fortnight ending 30th November 1879, were forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce, &c., Calcutta.	22nd do	
111	A manuscript copy of the return of prices current of food grains in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the fortnight ending 15th December 1879 was forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Department of Finance and Commerce &c., Calcutta.	Do do	
112	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to submit a return shewing the actual collections under the head "house tax" in the minor municipalities of the District as also under the heads "mohatarfa" and "municipal house tax" in the Town and Cantonment of Bangalore.	Do do	
113	Two sheets (Nos. 17 and 18) of the faisalati accounts of the late Huliyurdurga Taluk of the year Svabhanu (1823—24) regarding the kayamgutta villages of Muttenhalli and Devapatna, were forwarded to the Inam Superintendent.	Do do	
114	Certain accounts connected with Gauramba Agrahar in Chamrajnagar Taluk, were forwarded to the Inam Superintendent with a request to return the same when no longer required.	Do do	
115	Petition No. 2769 of 1879—80 from Kariyanna of Kodagihalli, regarding the Patelship of that village, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, for report.	23rd do	

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116	Petition No. 2941 of 1879—80, from Ramaiya of Varthr in Bangalore Taluk, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	23rd Dec. 1879.	
117	The Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was informed that the assessment on the excess found in the holdings of Chikka Appavugauda and others of Chaluve Arasina Koppal in Ashtagram Taluk, should be reckoned only from the date on which the demand was made; and that the claim for the same retrospectively should be foregone.	Do do	
118	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District was informed that the land belonging to police peon Shek Hasan might be attached and sold for the payment of the arrears of assessment due by him, and that it was not necessary to suspend him.	Do do	17th Sept. 1878, Part I, Revenue.
119	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to issue, unless there were sufficient reasons to the contrary, instructions for the levy of the contribution due by the inamdars of Govindhalli for the repairs and improvement of the Kudlur channel in the Kadur District.—Copy sent to the Secretary, Public Works Department.	Do do	
120	With regard to the interest to be levied on arrears of revenue, the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District was informed that it was not intended that interest should be levied on fraction of a rupee any more than for fractions of a month.	24th do	24th Oct. 1879, Part I, Rev.
121	As regards the entertainment of additional process peons for the collection of arrears of revenue outstanding in certain taluks, the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was referred to para 2 of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 4369—776 of the 21st ultimo.	Do do	
122	The season report for the week ending 20th instant, was telegraphed to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department, Simla.	Do do	
123	The Inam Superintendent was requested to furnish the original registers referring to certain kavals granted in inam to private individuals by the late Maha Raja, together with the original sanads or copies thereof in each case.	Do do	22nd Nov. 1879, Part II, Rev.
124	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was requested to furnish full explanation regarding the sale of certain lands referred to by petitioners Nanjegauda and Tammannagauda of Tolalu in Belur Taluk.	Do do	
125	As proposed by the President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission, the free grant to the Revd. E. R. Baitlien of the Lutheran Mission of the plot of ground south of the Railway Station, was sanctioned.	Do do	
126	Petition No. 605 of 1879—80, from Papiraddi of Makarhalli in Betmangala Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, with a request to submit a report thereon together with the proceedings connected with the case.	25th do	
127	Orders were issued to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, specifying the articles upon which octroi should be levied in the several Municipalities in the Hassan District.	29th do	
128	Petition No. 2978 of 1879—80, from Virappa Vadeyar, late Patel of Doddikoppa in Sorab Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, for report.	Do do	
129	Petition No. 2976 of 1879—80, from Kalappa of Mudamangal, for remission of assessment, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for report.	Do do	
130	Petition No. 3029 of 1879—80, from Venkatsubbaiya of Marakoppa in Betmangala Taluk, regarding a certain piece of land, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for report.	Do do	

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131	Petition No. 3038 of 1879—80, from Ramaiya, son of Nagappa, Jodidar of Nandigudi in Hoskote Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for report.	29th Dec. 1879.	
132	The Inam Superintendent was informed that the cases in which title-deeds in the new form were to be issued should be arranged in communication with the Inam Commissioner.—Copy sent to the Inam Commissioner.	Do do	
133	Certain papers regarding the village of Srinivasapura in Maddagiri Taluk, were forwarded to the Inam Superintendent.	Do do	
134	A form of prices current of food grains, received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, was returned to him duly corrected, with a request that the prices of different sorts should be shewn in the standard seer of 80 tolas and the fractional parts in chittaks per Rupee as per orders already issued.	Do do	24th Sept. 1878, Part I, Rev. and 27th May 1879, Part I, Revenue.
135	In reply, the Assistant Commissary General, Bangalore, was referred to the weekly season reports published in the Mysore Gazette and was informed that he might apply for further information if necessary to the Deputy Commissioners.	Do do	
136	With regard to the levy of duty on piece goods, the Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District was referred to the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 4876-83—Muni. 239, dated 20th instant.	Do do	
137	Petition No. 2010 of 1879—80, from Puttusamaiya of Tirupati in Haranhalli Taluk, regarding a certain piece of land, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for report.	Do do	
138	Petitions Nos. 2202 and 2204 of 1879—80, from Venkatvaradaiengar of Molur in Closepet Taluk, regarding certain lands, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	30th do	
139	Petition No. 2326 of 1879—80, from Muniyappa, Shanbhog of Mutkur Agrahar in Hoskote Taluk, was forwarded, together with its two enclosures, to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for report.	Do do	
140	The Inam Superintendent and the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, were informed that no alteration of the quit-rent on account of the inam lands Nos. 20 and 22 in Bargemuddanhalli taken up for the Mysore State Railway appeared necessary.	Do do	
141	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to submit early, the abkari and local cess demand, collection and balance statements for October 1879.	Do do	
142	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was informed that sufficient time might be given to certain jodidars in Nelamangala Taluk, to repair their tanks, and that arrangements should be made for their executing urgent repairs to prevent damage to the tanks.	Do do	
143	A copy of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 4221-2—741, dated 10th November 1879, on the subject of the levy of the local cess on sayer collections in inam villages, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for information and guidance, and he was requested to report on the results of the measure stating how the inamdars' rights to sayer are supported in each case.	Do do	
144	Copies of the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 4221-2—741, dated 10th November 1879, were forwarded to the other Deputy Commissioners.	Do do	
145	The Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division was requested to send an early reply to this Office docket No. 4489—798, dated 5th instant, regarding certain revenue cases.	Do do	

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146	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was requested to submit early, the returns of revenue cases Nos. 5 and 6 for October 1879.	30th Dec. 1879.	5th instant.
147	Petitions Nos. 2940 and 2942 of 1879—80, from Ramacharya of Devanhalli, residing at Siddikatte in Bangalore, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(FINANCIAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	A sum of Rs 20 was forwarded to the Officer in charge of the Chief Commissioner's Treasury, with a request to forward a public service remittance transfer receipt, payable in Madras, in favor of B. Venkatachalaiya, son of B. Gopalaiya, late Head Sherastadar.	1st Dec. 1879.	
2	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, a bill for Rs. 109—2—10 to be refunded from the muzrayi surplus fund for repairing and whitewashing the two temples on the top of the Dovaraydurga hills, was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General for audit.	Do do	
3	Government of India Resolutions No 731, dated 26th May 1879 of the Financial Department, and No. 2614, dated 8th September 1879 of the Department of Finance and Commerce, prescribing the mode of dealing with soldered coins, were forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	Do do	
4	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, the payment of Rs. 8 for a set of steel punches procured by the 2nd Class Magistrate of the Bangalore Town and Cantonment for stamping weights and measures, was sanctioned —Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
5	As requested by the District and Sessions Judge of the Nundydroog Division, the retention of Shek Ibrahim and 3 other supernumerary peons for a further period of 6 months from the 1st December 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	2nd do	
6	A letter from the Examiner, Public Works Accounts, received from the Deputy Accountant General, was returned to him and he was informed of the assignments made for expenditure in the various branches of Public Works in Mysore during 1880—81.	Do do	3rd May 1879, Part II, General.
7	The purchase of cooking utensils for the Malur chattram at a cost of Rs. 33—12—0, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
8	Copies of letter No. 3992 of the 22nd November 1879 from the Deputy Accountant General, submitting a statement of the outstanding balances on account of advances made for the erection of the boundary marks, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioners of Districts, with a request that early steps may be taken for the prompt recovery of the balances.	Do do	
9	A public service remittance transfer receipt for Rs. 20 was forwarded to B. Venkatachalaiya on account of the scholarship due to him for November 1879.	4th do	
10	The District Fund Appropriation and Outlay Accounts for 1878—79, received from the Deputy Accountant General, were returned to him, after filling in the particulars therein required.	Do do	
11	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District was requested to submit a bill for the salaries due to certain Shanbhogs of the Honnavalli Taluk for the year 1877.	5th do	

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12	The batta bill of the establishment of the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District amounting to Rs. 14—7—7 for October 1879, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	5th Dec. 1879.	
13	The batta bill of the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for October 1879, amounting to Rs. 30, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	Do do	
14	The mileage bill of the late Assistant Commissioner Mr. S. B. Krishnaswamaiengar for September 1879, amounting to Rs. 40, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	Do do	
15	The batta bill of the establishment of the 2nd Assistant Commissioner of the Bangalore District for September 1879, amounting to Rs. 6—4—0, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	Do do	
16	The batta bill of the establishment of the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for October 1879, amounting to Rs. 2—12—4, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	Do do	
17	The mileage and batta bills of the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District and his establishment for October 1879, amounting to Rs. 55 and Rs. 0—9—3, respectively, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	Do do	
18	The mileage claimed by the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for his establishment for September 1879 was disallowed. The Deputy Commissioners of Districts were authorized to countersign and submit for audit direct to the Deputy Accountant General, the batta bills of the District establishment within budget limits, and informed that the travelling allowance bills of the Deputy and Assistant Commissioners alone should be sent to this Office in future for countersignature.	Do do	
19	A set of statements of local cesses realized and allotted to the district and village school funds during the half year ending 30th September last, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	6th. do	
20	The Registrar of the Bangalore Court of Small Causes was informed that one half of the salaries of certain officials in this Office amounting to Rs. 119—10—0 had been attached, and was requested to send the Nazar of the court to receive the same.	Do do	
21	The Deputy Commissioner of the Chitaldroog District was requested to furnish an advance of Rs. 100 for camp expenses, and informed that the same would be adjusted in communication with the Deputy Accountant General.	8th do	
22	The employment of a sweeper in the chattram at Malur was sanctioned, and the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, was informed that the chattram at Megarvalli being private property, no establishment could be sanctioned for it except on certain conditions, that as the prevalent rate of pay for sweepers in the musafarkhanas in the District was Rs. 2, the Chief Commissioner was not prepared to raise it without further explanation, and that the charges on account of musafarkhanas and chattrams not provided for from Muzrayi funds should be debited to Local Funds.—Communicated to the other Deputy Commissioners, the Deputy Accountant General and the Secretary, Public Works Department.	Do do	23rd Aug. 1879. Part II, Finl.
23	As submitted by the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, a bill for the refund of Rs. 163—8—0 to Siddalingappa, contractor of the Oblapur Tank No. 75 in Dodéri Taluk, was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
24	On the report of the Peshkar of the Tirupati chattram, the Deputy Accountant General of Mysore was informed that Aligamma-	9th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
	vala svami of Conjevaram who had been receiving an annual allowance of Rs. 58-11-0 from the Mulbagal Taluk Treasury, Kolar District, died on the 3th November 1879 at Naidu Pettah in the Nellore District.		
25	A copy of letter No. 4194, dated 8rd December 1879, received from the Deputy Accountant General on the subject of the detailed contingent bill of the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for October 1879, was forwarded to the latter for information and guidance.	10th Dec. 1879.	
26	A telegraph receipt received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, was returned to him, and he was requested to state why his detailed contingent bill for October 1879 was submitted without entering therein the amount charged in the said receipt.	Do do	
27	With regard to the detailed contingent bill of the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for September 1879, he was informed that the sum of 12 annas charged in excess on account of country ink in the bill of the Deputy Commissioner's Office was disallowed, and he was requested to submit the Treasury Officer's receipts for the sum of 4½ annas charged on account of service labels in the bills of the 1st Assistant Commissioner and the Treasury Departments of the Mysore District for the months of August and September 1879.	Do do	
28	The batta bill of the establishment of the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for October 1879 was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General duly countersigned for Rs. 42—3—0 as corrected in this Office.	11th do	
29	Certain papers regarding the money advanced to the Superintendent of the Bangalore Experimental Farm for the manufacture of ploughs, were forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District.	Do do	7th June 1879, Part II, Revenue.
30	Messrs. Arbuthnot and Co., Madras, were requested to send the net proceeds of the sale of cinchona bark amounting to Rs. 9—4—9 referred to by them, to the Deputy Accountant General, Mysore.	Do do	30th July 1878, Part II, General.
31	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, a bill for Rs. 38—13—5 due to Subba Rao, Sheristadar of the Dodballapur Taluk on account of his pay for the period he was under suspension pending a criminal trial in which he was acquitted, was sanctioned, and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	20th Nov. 1879, Part II, General.
32	A letter from Messrs. Davy, Muddappa and Co., soliciting payment of the price of arrack supplied to the Hassan District, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District with a request to adjust their claims promptly.	Do do	
33	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, a sum of Rs. 106 was sanctioned to meet the court costs for the recovery of some debts bequeathed to the temple of Nilakantesvara at Nagar.	12th do	
34	The disbursement of arrears of pay to Changalraya Modaliar, the Sheristadar of the Closepet Taluk, at Rs. 50 per mensem as Maramat Head Accountant of the Kolar District from the 16th May to the 13th June 1879, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
35	The writing off of the labor contribution of Rs. 500 agreed to by the ryots of Dodéri in Maldagiri Taluk for the construction of a sluice to their village tank, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, the Secretary, Public Works Department and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
36	As requested by the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, the entertainment of a temporary establishment at a cost of Rs. 296—0—0 for 4 months from the 1st January to the 30th April 1880 for weighing coffee at the kattes of Yeslur and Belagodu in the Manjarabad Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
37	A re-appropriation statement of the budget grant of the Shimoga District for the year 1879—80 providing additional funds for certain items of expenditure amounting to Rs. 211, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	12th Dec. 1879.	
38	In reply, the President of the Municipal Board, Mysore, was informed that no re appropriation statement was received in this Office except the one for the transfer of Rs. 2,000 submitted with the Ashtagram Division Commissioner's letter No. 351—20, dated 1st October 1879, which had already been returned sanctioned.	13th do	15th Oct. 1879, Part II, Financial.
39	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was informed that he might appoint either Srinivas Rao or Kariyanna whomever he considered eligible to the vacant post of District Treasurer, but security in money or Government Promissory Notes to the full amount of Rs. 5,000 should be insisted upon.	Do do	
40	A copy of circular No. 1609 I. G., dated 4th ultimo, from the Under-Secretary to the Government of India in the Foreign Department, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General in Mysore with a request to send specimens of postage and revenue stamps now use in the Province.	Do do	
41	The orders issued by the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District for dispensing with the sayer establishments in the Hassan and Arkalgúd Taluks, were approved.—Communicated to Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	30th Oct. 1879, Part II, Revenue.
42	Seventeen notifications of sanction for Rs. 3,061 for certain works to be carried out in the town of Mysore, were accepted.—Copy sent the Deputy Accountant General.	16th do	
43	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, two notifications of sanction for Rs. 220 for certain works to be carried out in the towns of Chintamani and Kolar, were accepted.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	18th do	
44	The early attention of the Commissioner of the Nagar Division and the Deputy Commissioners of the Mysore and Hassan Districts was invited to this Office docket No. 1214-23—248 regarding the securities taken from the Treasurers and Shroffs in the District and Taluk Treasuries.	Do do	
45	The Survey and Settlement Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District and the Deputy Accountant General were informed that the temporary remuneration payable to the village officers of the villages transferred from the Nelamangala Taluk to the Dodballapur and Magadi Taluks sanctioned in this Office Proceedings Nos. 4001-3—Rev. 694 and 4046—700, dat 1 28th and 30th October 1879, respectively, might be paid from the commencement of the current official year.	Do do	29th & 30th Oct. 1879, Part II, Financial.
46	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, a bill for Rs. 113—3—2, being a part of the Rs. 150 sanctioned for the repairs of the Someswaraswami temple in the Magadi Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General duly countersigned, for audit.	Do do	25th Aug. 1879. Part II, Financial.
47	The Deputy Accountant General was informed that the provision made by the Public Works Department for the railway for the year 1879—80 might stand, and that any excess in the amount which could not be met from the ordinary revenue receipts of the year may be defrayed from the cash balances and other arrangements.	20th do	
48	The batta bill of the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District for Rs. 35 for October 1879, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned, for audit.	22nd do	
49	The Collector of Benares was informed that the Agent of the Mysore Maha Raja's chattram at Benares had been directed to pay him Rs. 1—14—0 required for the execution of a document for the closing of the doorway unauthorizedly opened in the chattram by Chandrakant.	24th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
50	The President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission was requested to submit, in communication with the Deputy Surgeon General, a detailed estimate of the cost of the dispensary proposed to be established at Ulsur.	24th Dec. 1879.	
51	The purchase of certain articles of furniture at a cost of Rs. 50 was sanctioned for the Hassan District Treasury.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
52	The Judicial Commissioner of Mysore was informed that for reasons stated, the Chief Commissioner was not prepared to sanction the grant of a personal allowance to Mr. Holt, the Head Clerk of the Ashtagram Division Office.	Do do	
53	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District, a notification of sanction for Rs. 189 for repairing the car of the Nilakanta Devastan at Nagar, was accepted.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
54	The retention of Venkatdasaiya as a supernumerary on his former pay of Rs. 30 from the 25th September 1879 to the 25th January 1880 or such earlier date as he may otherwise be provided for, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
55	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that no increase of pay had been sanctioned for the Mysore District Revenue Sheristadar, and that as regards the increase of pay to the Taluk Sheristadars, the Deputy Commissioners of the Mysore and Hassan Districts would be requested to submit for sanction a list shewing in what cases and from what dates they would propose to give effect to the increased rates of pay.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioners of the Mysore and Hassan Districts.	Do do	
56	A notification of sanction for Rs. 15—15—6 for purchasing new utensils and repairing old ones of the Government chattram at Honnali, was accepted.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Shimoga District and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
57	A compensation of Rs. 28 was sanctioned on account of certain thatched houses in the holageri of Closepet taken up for the Mysore State Railway.	Do do	
58	The Commissioner of the Nagar Division was informed that a rent of Rs. 120 was sanctioned for Bakshi Ram Rao's house for the period it was used by Government as a chattram, and that the same should be charged to muzrayi surplus funds.	Do do	10th Oct. 1879, Part. II, Financial
59	The Deputy Accountant General was requested to revise the budget estimates of the Inam Department for 1880—81 with reference to the items given amounting to Rs. 24,000.	Do do	
60	Subject to certain modifications, the budget estimates of all the Districts were approved and returned to the Deputy Accountant General.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioners of Districts.	Do do	
61	As regards the procedure to be followed for the investment of temple pudvat funds, the amount of which is Rs. 500 and under in any case, the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was referred to Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 8438—F. 17, dated 8th February 1876, &c.	Do do	
62	The Deputy Accountant General was requested to make provision in the budget for certain servants under residency establishments, &c.	29th do	
63	A bill for Rs. 89—14—0, the arrears of non-parvarsh allowance due to Kapadi Raje Ars from the Talkad Taluk Treasury from January to November 1877, was sanctioned and was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.—Communicated to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
64	Four batta bills received from the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District for Rs. 130, Rs. 43—3—1, Rs. 150 and Rs. 84—9—6, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, duly countersigned for audit.	29th Dec. 1879.	
65	As submitted by the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, a bill for the refund of Rs. 50 to one Chikvirashetti of Yelayur, was sanctioned and forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	30th do	
66	The Treasury Officer of the Kadur District was requested to submit a proper estimate for the articles required by him through the Deputy Commissioner.	Do do	
67	Six notifications of sanction for Rs. 1,480 for certain works to be carried out in the Town of Mysore, were accepted.—Communicated to the President of the Mysore Municipal Board and the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	
68	An expenditure of Rs. 187 incurred in repairing the Bagade Varmmudinakere tank in Harachalli Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Secretary, Public Works Department.	Do do	
69	The purchase of certain medical books at a cost of Rs. 47—7—7 for the Haribarpur dispensary, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, the Deputy Accountant General and the Deputy Surgeon General, Indian Medical Department.	31st do	
70	At the request of the President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission, certain modifications in the municipal budget for 1879—80, were sanctioned.—Communicated to the Deputy Accountant General.	Do do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(GENERAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	Certain vernacular papers relating to a coffee land purchased by one Hindustani Fakruddin, were returned to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kadur District.	1st Dec. 1879.	19th Nov. 1879, Part II, Revenue
2	Copies of Circular No. 1363, dated 25th November 1879, from the Consulting Engineer for Railways, Madras, requesting that all bills for land might in future be submitted in the Public Works Examiner's Form No. 442, were sent to the Deputy Commissioners of the Bangalore and Kolar Districts.	Do do	
3	A copy of docket No. 180 of the 26th ultimo from the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, was forwarded to the Inam Superintendent, with a request to send Mahomed Budan, Daffedar in the 2nd Assistant Inam Superintendent's Office, to the Deputy Commissioner for employment in the District Police, if considered qualified.	2nd do	
4	A notification granting two months' privilege leave to Bhagavanta Rao, Amildar of Kaukuppa Taluk, and appointing Srinivasaiengar, Revenue Head Munshi of the Chitaldroog District Office, to act for him, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette, for publication.—Copy sent to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division.	Do do	
5	A notice of demand, received with the Chingleput Collector's letter No. 4984 of the 6th ultimo, was returned to him duly served.	3rd do	
6	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was informed that the copies of the Survey Manual referred to by him were despatched to him on the 19th August 1879 in a separate packet.	4th do	
7	In reply, the Deputy Accountant General was informed that the Baravard for the month of June 1858 shewed that the temporary services of Venkat Rao, Head Accountant in the Deputy Commissioner's Office, Mysore District, were dispensed with from the 1st July of that year, and that therefore he was without employment till the 6th September 1858; and the pension application of the said individual was returned to the Deputy Accountant General, together with the Dufter statement.	5th do	
8	Resolution No. 51-1947—57, dated 23rd October 1879 of the Home, Revenue and Agricultural Department of the Government of India, reviewing the results regarding the number of persons killed by wild animals, &c., was circulated to the Deputy Commissioners of Districts and the President of the Bangalore Municipal Commission, and their attention was drawn to the Chief Commissioner's Proceedings No. 2784-95—Muni. 147, dated 6th September 1879.	6th do	
9	The Proceedings of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission, dated 28th ultimo, were forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication, with a request to send 25 spare copies of the same to the President and 3 copies to this Office.	Do do	
10	Petition No. 2775 of 1879—80 from Narasimhaiya, late Judicial Gumasta of Closepet Taluk, complaining of the non-receipt of his pension, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General.	9th do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
11	The proceedings of an ordinary meeting of the Sub-Committee and of an ordinary meeting of the Bangalore Town Municipal Commission held on the 22nd and 29th November 1879 respectively, were forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette, with a request to send 20 copies of each of the said proceedings to the Municipal President and 3 copies to this Office.	9th Dec. 1879.	
12	The Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District was requested to report on the claims of the several parties interested in the Shanbhogship of Agara and three other villages in Betmangala Taluk.	Do do	1st Nov. 1879, Part II, Genl.
13	A statement of the services of Ramaiya, late Revenue Gumasta of Dodballapur Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District.	10th do	
14	The Judicial Commissioner was informed that the Revenue Secretary would arrange to attend the meeting on Wednesday the 17th instant for the discussion of the proposed changes in connection with the examination of Assistant Commissioners.	Do do	
15	A notice and a summons received from the District and Sessions Judge, Nundydroog Division, were returned to him, duly served on H. Ramaiya, and P. Ramasami Naidu.	Do do	
16	The gratuity application of Visvanatha Modaliar and Subraya Modaliar, the Head and Deputy Clerks respectively, of the Inam Assistant Superintendent's Office, was returned to the Inam Superintendent, with a request to submit confidential medical reports of the applicants' normal prospects of life.	11th do	
17	Raghavendra Rao, the Acting Amildar of Attikuppa Taluk, having returned to duty on the 19th November 1879, the unexpired portion of his leave, *viz.*, 9 days, was cancelled, and a notification to that effect forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette, for publication.	12th do	
18	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was informed that when estimates and plans by professional officers are required by the Hassan and other minor Municipalities, the assistance of the Public Works Department in the District would be available, and the Secretary, Public Works Department, was requested to issue the necessary instructions for such assistance being promptly given.	15th do	21st Nov. 1879, Part, Genl.
19	Petition No. 1538 of 1879—80 from Surappa, late Shekdar of Bindiganavale, residing at Sindagatta in Attikuppa Taluk, soliciting early orders to grant him pension, was forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, for disposal.	16th do	
20	Petition No. 2253 of 1879—80 from Alasingrachari, Archak of the Paravasudevar temple in Gundlupet, requesting that the mutchalika taken from him by the Inam Assistant and the Amildar be cancelled, and that his resignation for the office of Archak might be accepted, was forwarded to the Inam Superintendent, for disposal.	Do do	
21	Petition No. 1967 of 1879—80, from Subboji, late Dalayat of the 3rd Assistant Commissioner's Court at Bangalore, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, with a request that the endorsement referred to by petitioner might be returned to him if it was in his office records.	Do do	
22	Petition No. 2246 of 1879—80 from Ramaiya, grandson of Venkatsubbaiya, Shanbhog of Mudavadi in Kolar Taluk, complaining of one Narnaiya, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for disposal.	Do do	
23	Petition No. 1781 of 1879—80 from Venkatkrishnaiya, late Judicial Record-keeper in the Deputy Commissioner's Office at Hassan, regarding his pension, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for disposal.	Do do	
24	Petition No. 1441 of 1879—80 from Balaji Rao, late Sheristadar of the Hoskote Taluk, regarding his pension, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for the early submission of the pension application of the petitioner.	Do do	

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
25	Petition No. 2303 of 1879—80, from Rangegauda and others of Kagnur in Manjarabad Taluk, complaining of the Shanbhog of their village, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for disposal.	17th Dec. 1879.	
26	Petition No. 2343 of 1879—80, from Amir Bég, late Peshkar of Kadaba, residing at Mysore, regarding his pension, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District with a request that the pension application of the petitioner might be expedited.	Do	do
27	Petition No. 2558 of 1879—80, from Krishnappa, Nagadi Gumasta of Hosdurga Taluk, complaining of his removal from service, was forwarded to the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, for disposal.	Do	do
28	Petition No. 2113 of 1879—80, from Nanjundaiya, late Shekdar of Nagamangala, residing at Mysore, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for disposal.	Do	do
29	A notification regarding the appointment and transfer of certain Amildars was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.—Copies sent to the Inam Superintendent, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division, and the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District.	18th	do
30	A notification regarding the appointment, promotion and transfer of certain Amildars was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.—Copies sent to the Deputy Commissioners of the Túmkur and Kolar Districts and the Inam Superintendent	Do	do
31	At the request of the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, sanction was given to the grant to Mr. North of privilege leave, from 27th October to the 15th November 1879, in extension of that granted in this Office docket No. 6 of the 17th September 1879.—Copies sent to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division and the Deputy Accountant General.	21st	do
32	Form C of deaths registered in the Mysore and Coorg Provinces for the month of June 1879, was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication.	23rd	do
33	The Superintendent of the Mysore Government Press was requested to print and forward to this Office, with a memo of cost, a certain number of the forms of budget statements, &c., on account of the Taluk Municipalities in the Hassan District.	Do	do
34	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was authorized to employ a pleader to defend a suit brought by one Appanna for the recovery of compensation amounting to Rs. 465, alleged to be due to him on account of certain lands submerged by the new Alsur tank, if he was satisfied that the claim advanced by the plaintiff was unwarranted.	24th	do
35	The Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District was informed that the Chief Commissioner was not prepared to reconsider the orders passed for pensioning Narsimmalu Naidu, late Amildar of Chiknayakanhalli Taluk.	Do	do
36	In reply, the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District was informed that the Chief Commissioner could not recognize any claims to pension on the part of Balaprasad, who was removed from office so long ago as 1863.	Do	do
37	The Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District was directed to explain more fully a break in the service of Krishnaiengar, late Accountant of the Hassan District Treasury, and to state whether he could now provide Krishnaiengar with an appointment in the event of his being retained.	Do	do
38	The Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District was requested to report whether certain peons and lascars of the late Nundydroog Division Office could be provided for in the Police Department, &c.	Do	do

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
39	As proposed by the Survey Superintendent, the absorption of certain small and bechirakh villages with the adjoining Government villages in the Chiknayakanhalli Taluk, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Survey and Settlement Commissioner and the Deputy Commissioner of the Tumkúr District,	24th Dec. 1879.	
40	A bye-law, prohibiting the owners and occupiers of houses in the bazars and other crowded localities of the Cantonment of Bangalore from stacking hay and straw in the yards attached to their houses, &c., was forwarded to the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette for publication, and the Municipal President was requested to furnish the Compiler of the Mysore Gazette with Kanarese, Tamil and Hindustani translations of the bye-law.	Do do	
41	Petition No. 3039 of 1879—80 from P. Ranga Rao was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District, with a request to provide him with an appointment.	26th do	
42	As requested by the President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission, Mr. Govindu Chetti's letter and Mr. Ramalingam's report on the working of the chattram founded by the former, were returned to him.	29th do	
43	Petition No. 2930 of 1879—80 from Subbaiya, Revenue Gumasta, Kunigal Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District for disposal, or report if considered necessary.	Do do	
44	Orders were issued to the Deputy Commissioner of the Mysore District, regarding the employment of Mr. North as Deputy Clerk in the Deputy Commissioner's Office, and certain other appointments. Communicated to the Commissioner of the Ashtagram Division, the Deputy Accountant General, the Commissioner of the Nagar Division and the Deputy Commissioner of the Túmkúr District.	Do do	
45	Petition No. 3066 of 1879—80, from one Ramaswami of Bangalore was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District for such consideration as the petitioner might be deserving of.	30th do	
46	Venkatramaiya and Surnarnappa, the Sheristadars of the Gundlupet and Heggaddevankote Taluks, having been ordered to be restored to their appointments, the Secretary to the Chief Commissioner, General Department, was informed that if any pensions had been sanctioned for them, the same might be cancelled,	Do do	
47	A copy of the Deputy Accountant General's docket No. 4427, dated 15th instant, returning the gratuity rolls of Chama Nayik and Husen Khan, employed in the Forest Depôt in the Ashtagram Division, with certain remarks, was forwarded to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Ashtagram Division, for compliance.	Do do	
48	Petition No. 2940 of 1879—80 from Budan Saib, residing in General Bazar, Cantonment, Bangalore, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District, for disposal.	Do do	
49	Petition No. 2942 of 1879—80 from Adimurti Krishnappa, Hissedar Shanbhog of Baiganhalli in Gudibanda Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Kolar District, for report.	Do do	
50	Petition No. 2877 of 1879—80 from Channabasetti and other ryots of Sarvamanyam Hebbale and certain other villages in Arakalgúd Taluk, was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Hassan District, for disposal.	Do do	
51	A notice of demand received from the Collector of Chingleput was forwarded to the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District with a request to serve the same on Mr. Lee, lately an Engineer in the Madras Municipality and now reported to be residing at Bangalore and return the same to the Collector.	Do do	
52	The President of the Bangalore Cantonment Municipal Commission was informed that certain papers regarding the tope to the west of the Government House claimed by Mariyappa having been mislaid, copies of the same might be obtained from the officers concerned.	31st do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31st December 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE DEPARTMENT.

(EDUCATIONAL.)

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DEC. 1879.

MYSORE.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	The Superintending Engineer in Mysore was requested to appoint a committee for the examination of the senior students of the School of Engineering and Natural Science in the latter part of January next.—Communicated to the Officiating Director of Public Instruction, and the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Nundydroog Division.	8th Dec. 1879.	
2	The continuance of the house rent of Rs. 3 for the school at Jagalur in Kankuppa Taluk till the 31st March 1880, was sanctioned.—Communicated to the Director of Public Instruction, and the Deputy Accountant General.	12th do	
3	The Director of Public Instruction was informed that Mr. Lynam would be considered to have been on duty during the period of his recent absence at Mercara, but would not be entitled to any travelling allowance, and that the date of his return and resumption of the charge of the Engineering School should be reported.	13th do	
4	Petition No. 2997 of 1879—80, from Venkatagiriyappa residing at Channagiri in Banavar Taluk, requesting that his brothers might be exempted from paying school fees, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for disposal.	16th do	
5	Petition No. 2538 of 1879—80, from Tirumale Narasimhachar and others of Melkote in Attikuppa Taluk, regarding the Sanskrit school at that place, was forwarded to the Director of Public Instruction for disposal.	17th do	
6	Fifty-four copies of the Annual Report on Public Instruction in Mysore for 1878—79, were forwarded to the Secretary to the Government of India, Foreign Department, Calcutta.	22nd do	
7	Twenty copies do do to the Under-Secretary of State for India, India Office, London.	Do do	
8	The Director of Public Instruction was informed that every taluk kasba should be provided with a Government vernacular school, and that the cost of these schools should in future be borne by the Local Funds, and he was requested to submit a proposition statement for a taluk school at Anekal.	24th do	
9	The budget estimates of the Educational Department for 1880—81, were forwarded to the Deputy Accountant General, with a request to embody the same in the general budget subject to future alterations, &c.—Communicated to the Director of Public Instruction.	27th do	

MYSORE CHIEF COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE,
Bangalore, 31st December 1879.

C. RANGACHARLU,
Revenue Secretary.

COORG PROVINCE,

DECEMBER, 1879.

PROCEEDINGS

OF

J. D. GORDON, Esq., C. S. I., B. C. S.,

CHIEF COMMISSIONER.

PART I—A, IN EXTENSO.

JUDICIAL.—*Nil.*
REV AG. & COM.—*Nil.*
FINANCIAL.—*Nil.*
GENERAL.
EDUCATIONAL.—*Nil.*

PART II—B, IN ABSTRACT.

JUDICIAL.
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EDUCATIONAL.—*Nil.*

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PART I.

A.

GENERAL.

PROCEEDINGS OF THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF COORG FOR THE MONTH OF DEC. 1879.

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Proceedings of the Chief Commissioner of Coorg, General Department,
15th December 1879.

READ—

The following Notes of a Meeting with a deputation from the Coorg Planters' Association held at Mercara on the 6th October 1879.

Present with Mr. J. D. Gordon, C. S. I., Chief Commissioner.
Colonel H. G. Thomson, Superintendent.
Major H. M. S. Magrath, 1st Assistant Superintendent.
Mr. E. Gramatzkie, Executive Engineer.
Lieutenant-Colonel Johnson, Secretary, Public Works Department.
Mr. W. J. Cuningham do General Department.

The Coorg Planters' Association were represented by—
Mr. East as President.
Mr. Alston, Secretary.
Mr. Meynell.
Mr. McInnes.
Mr. Lloyd.

Mr. Alston read the address which had already been submitted to the Chief Commissioner.

Mr. Gordon in reply thanked the deputation for the address and said they were right in considering that he took a lively interest in the welfare of the Coorg Province, he regretted that he had been unable to carry out his original intention of visiting Mercara some months ago, but peculiar, heavy and exceptional duties which were entailed upon him by the approaching transfer of the Mysore Province had necessitated the postponement of his visit. Even now his stay was necessarily very short, but he hoped it would be sufficiently long to enable him to do what was in his power to further the interests of the Province including those of the planting community.

Mr. Gordon then proceeded to consider *seriatim* the several points contained in the address.

First the proposed Labor Contract Act.

This he said was a question of some importance, but he could not agree in thinking that the present difficulties which the coffee planters complain of are in any respect due to Act XIII of 1859. On reflection he believed they would admit that there are much clearer causes than could be ascribed to the operation of any enactment. In his opinion had Act XIII of 1859 indeed no existence at all their difficulties would be neither materially altered nor diminished. The main cause, there could be no doubt, was the direful effect of the great famine in 1877, and he could not see how the Association had persuaded themselves that the scarcity of labor was "simply owing to the complete collapse of Act XIII of 1859. That Act indeed was confessedly a makeshift, it was being worked to do things that it was never intended to do, and it was no marvel that it did not altogether succeed. Mr. Gordon could not say whether the Legislature would consent to pass any Labor Law.

The address referred to Tamil coolies, and Mr Gordon observed that the Association considered that these men had already learnt with what ease they could break their contracts in Coorg. His conviction, however, was that they had nothing to learn in this respect when they came. Many of them, he understood, were accustomed to go to Ceylon where they must be accustomed to a Labor Act; if they prefer Coorg, then it must be because Coorg is nearer home, or because they do not like Ceylon where there is a Labor Act. That was matter of conjecture, but in connection with the subject, Mr. Gordon had heard that these Tamil coolies declined to sign any agreements.

The Association had asked Mr. Gordon's opinion on the draft Labor Bill which they had forwarded to him. He had read it, but he had not had time to study it so closely as he intended to do. However of one thing he was satisfied, that if the Legislature passed a Labor Act at all, they would not pass one in any way like this draft. It was a question worthy of the earnest consideration of the Association whether they were right in their own interests to propose a stringent labor enactment. Mr. Gordon thought the direct effect of such a statute would be to make laborers more reluctant to come than they are now, and the law would probably result in injury to the planters themselves. They might put some people in prison, but labor in Coorg would become more distasteful than it now is.

(In reply to a question, Mr Alston stated that there were over 200 planters in Coorg, and more than ¾ths are represented by the Association.)

Mr. Gordon said he had asked the question; because before recommending the draft bill or any other to the Legislature he would have to understand that it is desired by the great majority of planters, proprietors of estates in Coorg, whether belonging to the Association or not. He did not wish to be understood as being absolutely opposed to a Labor Contract Act at all, though he was inclined to think that such an Act is not required, and would not benefit the planters if passed.

But the question did not rest with him. He could only recommend it to Government who again if they approved its provisions could but place it before the Legislature. As at present advised however he doubted its efficacy.

Mr. Lloyd asked why the Ceylon Labor Act did not keep coolies from there, and Mr. Alston said that an extended agency employed by Coorg planters had brought Tamils and for the first year they stuck to their work, but this year they have broken faith.

Mr. Gordon said he believed the proper remedy lay in abstaining from a reckless system of advances, and in united action in establishing proper agencies to procure labor from a distance instead of one planter competing against another.

Mr. Alston said there was no difficulty in getting labor. It was in keeping it that the difficulty existed.

Mr. Gordon believed that if a man came to labor of his own free will, he would not run away unless there were something very distasteful in his surroundings. Coorg must in many respects in the matter of climate be as distasteful to the cooly of South India as Assam was to the Bengalee cooly. If the recruiting agent painted the coffee estate as a paradise, and the cooly on reaching it found it, specially during the monsoon, the very reverse, one could not feel surprise at his wish to get away. He believed that if a cooly who came of his own free will, be sufficiently and regularly paid, not overworked, and made reasonably comfortable as to market and quarters, he would not wish to run away. The experience of many planters would, he thought, support this view.

Mr. Meynel said that on an average it costs Rs. 20 to 'lay down,' a cooly and then a planter could only afford to pay four annas a day, but immediately a man comes, one's neighbours outbid him, offer six annas and induce the cooly to leave.

Mr. Gordon said that brought him to another part of the draft bill, and he quite approved of the principle of that part which would make it penal to entice away an engaged cooly.

In the conversation which followed, Mr. Meynel said that it was the Coorg Native planter who outbid for coolies.

Mr. Alston said he believed that planters in Wynad were worse off than in Coorg. He understood that the planters there were agitating for an Act, but the Madras Government had declined. In Ceylon he said there was an Act and there was no scarcity of labor, Assam and the Mauritius have their Labor Acts and are the better for them, and here in Coorg, planters cannot go on as they are now. It means ruin to them.

Mr. Gordon reminded them of the character of the Labor Acts which have been passed and of the corresponding obligations on the proprietor entirely omitted from their draft Act. Such an Act would provide, of course, for minute Government inspection and interference, and must entail also heavy pecuniary obligations on the part of the employer of labor; he concluded this subject by saying he would consult Colonel Thomson and Major Magrath and others experienced in Coorg, including coffee estate proprietors who do not belong to the Association, and would then communicate his final decision, but whatever it might be, he would have no objection if the Association wished to forward the draft to Government, even though he could not agree to its principles, and he did not, he added, think it had in its present shape a chance of being passed into law.

Turning then to the subject of the Coffee Stealing Act, Mr. Gordon told the deputation that he had already sanctioned the entertainment of Police Inspectors which had been applied for. The address had noticed what the Association considered the radical defect in the Act that it not restrict the dealer in coffee. Mr. Gordon pointed out that he had no power to remedy any defect in the Act. The Act is a Madras Act, which has been extended to Coorg, and if they thought the provisions should be amended, their best way was to work in concert with the Wynaad planters in moving the Madras Government, but the provision which they would insert had no doubt been considered and advisedly omitted, and in any case he did not think that an Act so recently passed would be altered without longer experience. The Association had asked that the Act should be extended to those Districts between the frontier and Tellicherry and Mangalore. This seemed reasonable and Mr. Gordon would apply to the Madras Government to do so.

There was one matter connected with the labor question, which the address had not mentioned, but which was in their bill, and he wished to refer to it. It was the stamp duty charged on contracts to labor. Sometime ago when the Government of India were addressed on the subject, the reply was that when the Stamp Bill should become law, the Governor General in Council would be ready to favorably consider the matter. The Act had passed some months ago, but the Association had not moved. Now that the matter had come up, Mr. Gordon will at once apply to Government to reduce the duty from 8 annas to 2 annas. It was for the Association to look after their own interests and to move in such matters; had they done so the delay which they regretted would not have occurred.

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As to service of warrants in Mysore, Mr. Gordon had been glad to reduce the fee from Rs. 7 to Rs. 4. He was rather in the dark as to actual cost of service, but planters should remember that though Mysore only charges Rs. 4, in some cases much more is spent and the price fixed is calculated to be the average cost, but if it appears on trial that the fee can be further reduced that will be done.

In reply to a question, Mr. Gordon was informed that for service in Madras from Coorg Rs. was charged, but when the warrant is not served the unexpended balance is returned.

Mr. Gordon said he would go carefully into the subject again and see whether he could arrange for the unexpended balance being returned when warrants are not served. He promised to call for the statement of warrants issued and executed, and he said he knew our agency is not immaculate.

If a planter who had proof in any case of negligent or suspicious conduct on the part of the person charged with service of warrant, would come forward and enable the Mysore authorities to punish the offender, it would be worth much as an example. In their address the Association had proposed to return to the old system of giving the warrant to the planter to get executed. The difficulty then is that the Court cannot feel satisfied that the warrant will be returned, but Mr. Gordon would look up the grounds upon which the Judicial Commissioner had forbidden that course. He suggested that planters should send a man to point out the man whose arrest was desired, and he thought that perhaps the planter might be given a copy of the warrant, that was a suggestion which had just occurred to him, and he would consult the Judicial Commissioner and see if something could not be devised as a check upon the warrant serving agency.

In one matter Mr. Gordon thought the planters had their remedy to some degree in their own hands. Many of them make advances too readily to men of straw without security, and he understood that this had increased lately.

Mr. Alston said they took as much precaution as was possible, and he described the temptation to a planter, whose chances of crop depended on getting coolies within a given time, catching at any chance which presented itself. He then asked the Chief Commissioner if he was prepared to recommend a Labor Act.

Mr. Gordon replied that he was certainly not ready to recommend the bill as drafted and he would not now specify the provisions to which he would take special exception, but after consideration he would again address the Association on the subject.

The last part of the address referred to the state of the roads, and Mr. Gordon regretted that he could not go on a tour in Coorg as he was urgently called away to Mysore, but he had asked Colonel Johnson to go round the roads, and was sure that everything that could be done would be done.

Mr. Gordon was sorry to hear that the roads were worse than usual. He ascribed it to an unfortunate though quite unavoidable number of changes of officers, an exceptionally heavy monsoon and to the difficulty in obtaining labor.

The address stated that the Bettingal-Virarajendrapet road was impassable, because a bridge was down ; but Mr. Gramatzkie had ridden over it several times and could assure them that no bridge was down. As to the Anechaukur-Attur road, it had always been a bad road and never could be a good one, and it was in consequence of that that the new trace by Siddapur was being opened.

It was said that an iron girder bridge was down upon the Virarajendrapet-Ammatti road, but no such bridge had ever been built there. What was called a bridge which had come down was merely a temporary crossing formed by certain iron joists which were available. A bridge will be built there this year.

Mr. Gordon reminded the deputation that the means of Coorg were limited and he could not spend more than he gets. He would be glad to spend lakhs upon their roads, and to bridge the Cauvery for them, but he had not now the money; and they must wait until better financial times enabled the Government to do more.

At the Chief Commissioner's request, Colonel Johnson told the meeting that in his opinion the planters might come to the assistance of the Public Works Department. They were keenly interested in opening and maintaining roads, and if they would take portions, not with a view to profit, but on rates that would allow of their executing the work and helping Government by their superintendence and by giving labor, the Government would be glad to utilize their services in improving the roads about which they were now complaining.

Several of those present expressed their willingness to take work on these terms, and the meeting then broke up.

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15th December 1879.

No. 915—Mis.-Genl. 134, DATED 15TH DECEMBER 1879.

ORDER THEREON.—Copy of the above with twenty spare copies is forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg for submission of his and Major Magrath's opinion upon the proposed Labor Contract Act and the other matters discussed at the meeting.

Colonel Thomson is requested to supply a copy to the Secretary, Coorg Planters' Association, and a copy with the bill to each of the principal proprietors of coffee estate not being members of the Association for an expression of their opinions on the proposed legislation.

The Superintendent of Coorg is requested to submit a return for the past five years shewing the number of warrants of arrest issued under Act XIII of 1859 and the proportion of them which were executed, and with reference to the subject of execution of warrants the Judicial Commissioner is requested to report the measures he would recommend for ensuring efficient execution of the work. With a view to reducing the cost of warrants the Judicial Commissioner is requested to report whether the unexpended portion of each fee where all is not spent can be conveniently returned. It is understood that the charge is meant to provide for dieting arrested persons and also for the purposes of defraying the pay of the Police employed in the work, but no actual expenditure is incurred on the latter account, and practically no extra establishment is entertained for the purpose; the Judicial Commissioner should therefore give his opinion whether it is necessary to make any charge for this purpose and whether the fee might not be for cost of diet alone. In that case there would be no expenditure when there was no arrest and the fee could be easily returned.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

To—The Judicial Commissioner of Coorg.
„ Superintending Engineer.
„ Superintendent of Coorg.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

JUDICIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	As recommended by the Judicial Commissioner, certain sections of the Legal Practitioners' Act XVIII of 1879 were extended to Coorg.	1st Dec. 1879.	27rd Sep. 1879, No. 634—J
2	A supplemental memorial received from K. Subbiah, Deputy Munshi of the office of the 1st Assistant Superintendent to Coorg, was submitted to the Government of India, in continuation of this Office letter No. 754—38, dated 21st October 1879.	Do	do 21st Oct. 1879.
3	The Judicial Commissioner was requested to forward an early reply to this Office No. 694—31, dated 7th October last, forwarding for opinion a note by the Hon'ble Sir Charles Turner, K. C. I. E., Chief Justice of Madras, suggesting, for reasons therein given, that the Governor General in Council be empowered to suspend sales of land in execution of decrees of civil courts at times when the value of the land is abnormally depreciated.	6th	do 7th Oct. 1879.
4	Certain rules for the destruction &c. of judicial records in Coorg were gazetted.	9th	do 12th Dec 1879
5	In reply to letter No. 19—1212, dated 20th October last, it was reported to the Government of India, Home, &c Department, that no additional fee is charged for processes received from outside courts in Coorg.	13th	do 4th Nov. 1879.
6	Copy of a bill to regulate the levy of town duties and tolls in Municipalities, with annexure, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg for opinion.	14th	do
7	Certain rules submitted by the Judicial Commissioner for the qualification, &c. of pleaders in Coorg, were approved and their publication in the official gazette sanctioned.	20th	do No. 869—D. 98, dated 1st Dec. 1879.
8	The Commissioner of Police, Madras, was informed that the Chief Commissioner had no objection to the importation into Coorg of the ammunition, &c. denoted by C. Ramanjam Chetti and Co. in Madras for Messrs. Meeruddin and Co. of Mercara and Virarajendrapet.	22nd	do 31st Oct. 1879
9	As solicited, two sets of annual jail statement forms were forwarded to the Superintendent, Mercara Jail.	24th	do
10	Fifty copies each in English and Kanarese of the rules for the destruction of judicial records in Coorg, were forwarded to the Judicial Commissioner.	29th	do 7th Dec. 1879.

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Bangalore, 31st December 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

REVENUE, AGRICULTURE AND COMMERCE.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	On the representation of the Superintendent of Coorg, sanction was conveyed to the resurvey of the "Kareamale" and "Waverli" estates, belonging to Mr. J. Rose.	4th Dec. 1879.	
2	In reply, the Superintendent was informed that dry crop assessment may be charged on the land belonging to N. Monnappa, Subedar, Nanjarajpatna Taluk, from the time of its being converted from a building site into a ragi field.	Do do	
3	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to submit an early reply to this Office No. 765—32, dated 21st October last, forwarding for report copies of correspondence regarding the waste land rules.	10th do	21st Oct. 1879,
4	A draft submitted by the Superintendent of Coorg of the conditions of sale of lands put up to auction in satisfaction of Government dues, was approved subject to certain additions denoted.	11th do	
5	A notice regarding the application made by Chikkavallaiya and three others to carry on the abkari contract held by the late Mysore Ramanna, was gazetted.	12th do	5th Nov. 1879, No. 821—40.
6	Passing orders regarding 200 bhattis of land in Chamankote village, Amattinad, held as Jagu by one Nazir Saib deceased.	14th do	17th Oct. 1879, No. 742—31.
7	A further report regarding survey No. 3617 being granted as *kane* to the Revd. Mr. Kaundinya, was called for from the Superintendent of Coorg.	22nd do	12th Sep. 1879.
8	The Superintendent of Coorg was informed that the Inspector of Schools, Coorg Circle, had submitted a certificate of audit of the School Endowment Plantation account for the year 1878—79, and that no further action was required.—Copy to the Revd. G. Richter.	Do do	12th Nov. 1879.

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Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

FINANCIAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	A plan and estimate amounting to Rs. 2,450 for opening the road from the butchers' bazar to the main street, Mercara, were returned to the Superintendent of Coorg duly sanctioned.	1st Dec. 1879.	2nd July 1878, No. 240—23.
2	The Superintendent of Coorg was requested to submit early the report called for on the claim for pension submitted on behalf of Chemiviri, an attendant at the Halcri Palace.	6th do	24th Sept. 1879, No. 638—90.
3	The Coorg detailed contingent bill for May 1879 amounting to Rs. 349—10—0 was forwarded to the Comptroller General, duly countersigned.	7th do	
4	A notification of sanction for Rs. 25—5—0 for uprooting lanthana within the Mercara Municipal limits, was returned to the Superintendent duly sanctioned.	Do do	
5	The purchase of certain periodicals for the year 1880 at a cost of Rs. 87—14—0 was sanctioned and communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	10th do	
6	The Superintendent of Coorg was directed to write off the accounts an irrecoverable balance of Rs. 335 due by B. Tammanna, late octroi contractor, Mahadeopet.	11th do	13th Oct. 1879, No. 726—30.
7	His travelling allowance bills for September and October 1879 were returned to the 1st Assistant Superintendent of Coorg with a request that the charge for batta while in Mercara may be omitted or grounds shewn for admitting the charge.	Do do	
8	Certain bills for the refund of coffee assessment were returned to the Superintendent of Coorg, duly sanctioned.	13th do	9th Dec. 1879.
9	The receipt of a transfer receipt for Rs. 26—11—0 forwarded by the Treasury Officer, Mercara, on account of the contingent charges of this Office, was acknowledged.	Do do	
10	In reply, the Superintendent was informed that in future detailed contingent bills for Public Works in Coorg will not be required.	Do do	29th April 1879, No. 89—17.
11	The Comptroller General was requested to furnish an early reply to this Office No. 673—30, dated 30th September 1879, regarding the pension of Rs. 6—7—0 payable to P. Ponnappa.	Do do	30th Sep. 1879, No. 673—30.
12	The Comptroller General was requested to furnish an early reply to this Office No. 703—111, dated 7th October 1879, regarding the certificate of eligibility to the three months' privilege leave applied for by the Revd. G. Richter, Inspector of Schools, Coorg Circle.	Do do	
13	It was signalled to the Comptroller General that the Coorg Budget was being sent this day.	18th do	
14	In reply, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that the Chief Commissioner cannot accede to his proposal for the 2nd Assistant Superintendent to sign the detailed contingent bills when the Superintendent is present in head-quarters.	19th do	7th Dec. 1879.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
15	Orders on the Coorg District Budget for 1880—81 were passed and communicated to the Comptroller General, and Superintendent of Coorg.	19th Dec. 187 9.	
16	In reply, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that the three jamma samads alluded to in his letter of 18th October 1879, were not liable to stamp duty and neither were their duplicates.	20th do	1st Oct. 1879, No. 675—93.
17	The Budget Estimates of the Civil Dispensaries for the year 1880—81 were reviewed.	22nd do	
18	Copy of Assistant Comptroller General's No. 7168 *A*, dated 9th instant, forwarding copy of a letter to the Treasury Officer, Mercara, calling for the 2nd list of payments, &c. for November last, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg to expedite the Treasury Officer.	23rd do	
19	The detailed contingent bill of the Coorg Survey Department for October 1879, was returned to the Superintendent, Madras Survey, duly countersigned.	29th do	
23	A re-appropriation statement to meet the deficit of Rs. 397-7-5 under "Land Revenue-Contingencies for 1878—79," was returned to the Superintendent duly sanctioned.	Do do	
21	The sanctioned estimate for Rs. 67—14—0 for the purchase of periodicals for the year 1880, was returned to the Superintendent, as requested.	Do do	

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Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

PART II.

HOME DEPARTMENT.

GENERAL.

B.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF MATTERS OF ROUTINE FOR THE MONTH OF DECEMBER 1879.

COORG.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
1	In reply to his petition of 31st August 1879, Telugara Muttusami was informed that the Chief-Commissioner saw no reason to interfere with the orders of the Municipal Board in his case.	1st Dec. 1879.	
2	A more full report was called for from the Superintendent regarding the application to Coorg of the rules for the registration of births and deaths in Mysore.	2nd do	No. 674—92, dated 25th Sept. 1879.
3	The Chief Commissioner's orders regarding the fee for copying title-deeds issued in Kanarese for coffee estates less than ten acres in extent, were communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	4th do	16th Sept. 1875, No. 371—30.
4	A notice of sale of Coorg sandalwood for the year 1879—80 was gazetted, and copies forwarded to the proprietors of certain newspapers denoted, for publication.	5th do	
5	A notice inviting tenders for the right of collecting tolls in Coorg from 1st April 1880, was forwarded to the Collectors of South Canara and Malabar, for republication in the Government Gazette.	7th do	10th Nov. 1879, No. 809—39.
6	The rules proposed by the Superintendent of Coorg for the election of non-official members for the Coorg Municipalities, were sanctioned.	9th do	26th May 1879, No. 167—34.
7	In reply, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that for reasons detailed, there was no reason for *cancelling* the samad for the Puttapandagunditevadawarga, and Puttapandabuttatevadawarga in Ammattinad of the Yedenalknad Taluk.	10th do	
8	The despatch of five copies of the Coorg Administration Report for the year 1878—79, was intimated to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, &c., Department.	Do do	
9	Do of 35 copies of do do to the Under-Secretary of State for India, London.	Do do	
10	An application from the Revd. G. Richter requesting that his son, now in Germany, may be declared a British-born Subject, was returned to the Superintendent, as the Chief Commissioner was unable to do anything in the matter.	Do do	
11	The monthly register of effective and non-effective officers employed in the Coorg Province with proportionate return and blank statement of vacancies for the month of November last, was submitted to the Secretary to the Government of India, Home, &c, Department.	Do do	
12	The Comptroller General was requested to furnish this Office with copy of the "Civil Account Code" corrected up to date.	11th do	
13	Orders on the complaints made to the Chief Commissioner relative to the distribution of Government posts among Coorgs and others in the Province, were passed and communicated to the Superintendent of Coorg.	Do do	3rd Nov. 1879, No 799—105.

No.	Subject and Order.	Date of Order.	Date of previous Orders.
14	Orders regarding the unsatisfactory report submitted by him regarding the petition of certain ryots of the Ramaswamikanave hobli complaining that they are obliged to perform "bitti" service during the Superintendent's jamabandi, &c., were passed and communicated to Colonel Thomson.	12th Dec. 1879.	29th Aug. 1879, No. 552—75.
15	It was telegraphed to the Government of India, Home, &c, Department that the Coorg Administration Report for 1878—79 was despatched on the 12th instant.	14th do	
16	The Superintendent of Coorg was authorized to procure a single pole tent from Jubbulpore direct.	19th do	4th Oct. 1879.
17	In reply, the Superintendent of Coorg was informed that the enclosures to his letter No. 495—166, dated 11th instant, have not been received in this Office.	20th do	
18	The duplicates of three janma sannads were forwarded to the Superintendent, Mysore Government Press, for impression with the Chief Commissioner's large seal.	22nd do	
19	A petition No. 204, from one Muttanna of Kunchalagrama of Padinalknad Taluk, was forwarded to the Superintendent of Coorg, for report.	23rd do	
20	The Chief Commissioner's opinion on the Bill for giving power to prohibit the practice of inoculation, and to make the vaccination of children in certain Municipalities and Cantonments compulsory, was submitted to the Secretary to the Government of India, Legislative Department.	Do do	
21	A notification regarding Major H. M. S. Magrath, 1st Assistant Superintendent of Coorg delivering over charge of the Coorg Treasury to Mr. C. Subbaiya on the 12th December, was gazetted.	26th do	
22	A notice of sale of certain lands in Coorg in satisfaction of Government dues, was gazetted.	Do do	
23	It was reported to the Government of India, Home, &c., Department, that no discrepancies in the area and population of Coorg are noticed in any of the enclosures received with letter No. 35—1368, dated 25th July last.	29th do	
24	Orders on the high rate of charges prevailing in the Mercara Jail Press for printing forms &c., were passed and communicated to the officers denoted.	Do do	1st Oct. 1878, No. 457—84.
25	Two Kanarese documents received from the Government of India, Home, &c., Department, regarding a memorial submitted by K. Subbaiya, were returned with an English translation thereof.	Do do	1st Jan. 1879, No. 870—46.

Coorg Chief Commissioner's Office,
Bangalore, 31*st December* 1879.

W. J. CUNINGHAM,
Secretary.

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MYSORE PROVINCE,

JANUARY, 1880.

PROCEEDINGS

OF

J.D.GORDON, ESQ., C.S.I., B.C.S.,

CHIEF COMMISSIONER,

IN THE

GENERAL DEPARTMENT.